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AT THE

Farmers National Bank.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS $150,000.

We are constantly adding new accounts and our business is increasing at a very satisfactory rate. If you have not already opened an account with us, we invite you to do so now.

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1907 The New Year 1907

The past year has been a very prosperous one generally, and indications promise an equally profitable year to come. During such good times almost every one can, if they choose, lay by something for less thriving times, which are sure to come. If you have not already done so, *BEGIN NOW* with the New Year, by opening an account, and regularly depositing your savings with us. We cheerfully assist our customers and friends to make prudent investments.

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The Bloomsburg National Bank

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TRADING STAMPS

Saturday, Jan'y 19.

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Clothier, Hatter and Haberdasher.

Exchange Hotel, Bloomsburg.

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EX-SHERIFF HOFFMAN.

Death came very unexpectedly to John W. Hoffman on Sunday morning. He was alive at 5 o'clock, and was found dead in his bed at 7. Just when he passed away no one knows.

Some repairs are being made to the jail and Mr. Hoffman was occupying a bed in the room of his wife and grandchild, and they discovered that he was dead when they arose. The cause of death was heart disease, from which he had suffered for some time. His age was nearly 69 years. He is survived by his wife, a son, Addison, residing in Tacoma, Washington, and a daughter, the wife of Sheriff C. B. Ent.

Last week he was elected turnkey at the jail by the county commissioners, and he was very much elated with the idea of getting back to the kind of work that he had been engaged in many years ago, when sheriff of Columbia county.

Mr. Hoffman was born and raised in Briarcreek township, this county. He was engaged in farming for some years, and in the mercantile business at Espy for a time. He lived at Stroudsburg a while, where he was engaged in brick making, and later moved to Bloomsburg.

At one time he headed a powerful political element in this county, and was elected sheriff in 1877. He filled the office very creditably. It was during his term that the Mollie Maguires, Hester, Tully and McHugh, were tried here, and it was he who had to perform the unpleasant duty of executing them in the yard of the old jail that stands where the High School now stands.

At the expiration of his term he purchased the Ent mill at Light Street, and conducted it from 1880 to 1899, and then moved to Bloomsburg. He was a man of kindly motives and genial disposition, and had won many friends through the county. He belonged to a family of sheriff's. He filled the office himself, his brother-in-law Mordecai Millard served a term, and now his son-in-law, C. B. Ent is the new incumbent of the office. Another brother-in-law, Reese J. Millard, was a candidate but was defeated.

The funeral took place on Tuesday at 1 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Ganoe efficiating: The pall bearers were:—Honorary, Col. Seely, J. S. Bachman, Sam Prentiss, G. E. Elwell, J. C. Brown, O. B. Mellick, John Mowery, of Kulp; J. H. Townsend of Light Street; active pall-bearers, Jerre Hess, C. L. Pohe, Elisha Ringrose, County Commissioners; C. L. Sands, Ex-County Commissioner; J. R. Fowler, Ex-Treasurer; W. W. Black, Ex-Sheriff.

The remains were taken to Light Street for interment.

DEATH OF FORMER DANVILLE LADY.

Mrs. Czechowicz of New Kensington, died at her home, of pneumonia on Tuesday morning, aged 28 years.

She was born in Danville and resided there until some three years ago, when with her husband she removed to the western part of the State. She was a gracious and a pleasing personality, beloved by all for her kind disposition and her self-sacrificing nature.

The deceased was a daughter of the well-known architect, J. H. Brugler of Danville. She left her husband and a little son. The remains were taken to Danville for interment.

LEAGUE AFTER LOCAL OPTION

Anti-Saloon People Want Law Passed.

The Anti-Saloon League of this state expects to secure the passage of a local option law by the next Legislature. The proposed bill provides that when 35 per cent. of the voters of a county, city, borough or township petition for it an election shall be held to determine whether licenses shall be refused in the territory voting. Such elections may be held every two years. The Milton *Record* says: "The trouble with some reformers seems to be that they do not profit by experience. The proposed local option bill does not begin to have the merit of the old local option law in this state, which failed to accomplish the desired result. Any one can see with a half an eye that one borough or township voting against license and an adjoining district for license that there would be trouble very soon in enforcing the law. The cold fact is that no liquor law in this state has ever worked so well as the present one. Local option is a demonstrated failure. We must have one thing or the other - a high license law controlling the liquor traffic or absolute prohibition for the state."

MISS CATHARINE TRACY.

Mrs. Catharine Tracy of Poplar street has had her cup of sorrow filled to overflowing. A little over a year ago one daughter died, and only a few weeks ago a second daughter passed away, and on Saturday night her third and last daughter, Catharine, fell victim to consumption, and was taken from her.

Miss Tracy graduated at the High School in 1899, and took up stenography. She filled the position of stenographer and typewriter in the law office of Fred Ikeler, Esq., until her failing health required her to resign a few months ago. She was a bright and pleasing young lady, and had many friends who mourn her early demise.

She is survived by her mother, and four brothers, John and William Tracy of town; James Tracy, of Henrietta, N. Y., and Michael Tracy, of Denver, Colorado.

The funeral was held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, at St. Columba's Church, Rev. Father Murphy, officiating.

HARTMAN'S BIG SALE.

The semi-annual surplus stock sale at R. E. Hartman's store is now in full blast. These sales are great bargain-getting affairs, and great throngs of people take advantage of them.

The store is very attractively decorated with banners, and the goods are arranged to the best advantage for quick selling. An increased force of clerks facilitates trade and enables customers to be waited on promptly. The large circulars Mr. Hartman is putting out give a comprehensive list of the great variety of goods included in the sale.

Graphophone Recital.

In the Ikeler M. E. Church in Mt. Pleasant there will be given a splendid graphaphone recital on Saturday evening Jan. 19, at 8 o'clock. Admission, Adults 15 cts., children 10 cts. The music is of Superior type and latest publication. For the benefit of the church.

FARMERS, DAIRYMEN, AND STOCKMEN.

At Harrisburg, January 22-25 inclusive, the Pennsylvania State Board of Agriculture, the Pennsylvania Live Stock Breeders' Association and the Pennsylvania Dairy Union present a program for farmers, dairymen and stockmen never before excelled. It includes:

Ex-Gov. W. D. Hoard, of Wisconsin, Dairy Topics.

Jos. E. Wing, of Ohio, Alfalfa and Sheep.

Prof. W. M. Hays, Ass't Sec'y of Agriculture, Animal Breeding.

Prof. G. I. Christie, of Indiana Exp. Sta., Corn Lectures and Demonstrations.

Prof. Thomas F. Hunt, of Penn'a State College, Meat Inspection.

Prof. Harry Hayward, Director Del. Exp. Sta., Pork Production.

P. H. Kiefer, of New York, Butter Demonstration and Judging.

Edward Van Alstyne, of New York, Feeding Problems.

Prof. H. E. Van Norman, of State College, Agricultural Education.

E. A. Norton, of Penn'a., Calf Feeding.

J. H. Reichert, of Penn'a., Marketing Milk.

Dr. Leonard Pearson, State Veterinarian, Veterinary Education.

There are others, but this is enough to show what a program has been prepared. In addition there will be a

DAIRY AND CORN SHOW.

This is the first State Corn Exhibition ever held, for which prizes of $175 have been donated by The National Stockman and Farmer, Pittsburg, Secretary N. B. Critchfield, and the Pennsylvania Live Stock Breeders' Association. This show is open to any farmer, and prizes range from $10 down for 10 ears of corn. For prize list and excursion rate card apply to E. S. Bayard, Sec'y, East End, Pittsburg, Pa. For prize list for Dairy Products apply to Prof. H. E. Van Norman, State College, Pa. Butter, cheese, milk and cream competitions are open to any farmer, dairyman, butter or cheesemaker in the State.

DEITERICK GETS BAIL.

On Monday the Superior Court made an order that Peter Deiterick of Danville should be admitted to bail. He was convicted of murder in the second degree for killing Corky Jones of Danville, and Fred Ikeler Esq. applied to Chief Justice Mitchell to supercede the order of Judge Evans refusing bail. The case was referred to the full court, and the order was made.

Deiterick was sentenced to fourteen years in the penitentiary, and an appeal was taken to the Superior Court, and the case will be heard in March.

HOSPITAL MEETING.

By reason of absence of a quorum the election of the officers of the Joseph Ratti Hospital for the ensuing year has been continued until next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at which time the annual meeting of the Board of Directors will be held following the election. The crisis in the life of the hospital has been reached and it is earnestly hoped everybody will be present.

John G. Harman, Sec'y.

Going to Florida.

Mrs. Dr. Reber and Mrs. Dr. Connor are going to Palm Beach, next week to spend several weeks.

REMONSTRANCES FILED.

Remonstrances have been filed in the Clerk's office against the following applications for liquor licenses;

Charles Alexander, wholesale, West Berwick.

A O, Bishop, hotel, Berwick.

Geo. E. Clemens, restaurant, West Berwick.

P. J. Delaney, restaurant, West Berwick.

Harry S. Ent, hotel, West Berwick.

Patrick Grant, wholesale, West Berwick.

Martin Gutosky, hotel, West Berwick.

Thomas Hickey, hotel, Bloomsburg.

Jos. L. Judkovics, wholesale, West Berwick.

Elmer E. Kelly, hotel, West Berwick.

Jacob Kupsky, hotel, West Berwick.

Penna. Central Brewing Co., bottlers West Berwick.

John Pavlowisky, hotel, Briar Creek township.

The Penna. Central Brewing Co. wholesale, West Berwick.

Henry Schlauger, hotel, West Berwick.

Henry Schonderger, hotel, Briar-Creek.

Joseph Samley, hotel, West Berwick.

John Tomko, hotel, West Berwick.

George W. Wright, restaurant, Bloomsburg.

Simon Yedinsky, wholesale, West Berwick.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS.

Speaking of the proposition to pension teachers after thirty years' service, an exchange very aptly remarks:

There seems to be a very general and well founded opposition among senators and members of the Legislature, so far as we have been able to obtain their opinions, to the teachers pension bill as recommended by the State Teachers' Association. To pension teachers after thirty years' service would retire hundreds before they arrived at the age of fifty years. A good teacher who has put his heart and soul into the work is at his best at fifty. A pension law that would provide for old teachers, worn out in the service, would encounter very little opposition from any quarter, but to enact such a law as has been outlined would be a graft.

THE MIDWAY BURGLARS.

George Edgar, John Nevil and Harry Washburn were arrested on Tuesday charged with breaking into the Midway on Sunday night, and stealing ammunition, cigars, etc. Clyde Roadarmel was one of the party and he squealed. Before Justice Weiss he told how they did it. Edgar and Washburn were held in $300 to appear at court, and Nevil was placed in charge of truant officer Deitterich until next court.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Among those whose names are mentioned in connection with the nomination for President of Town Council are A. N. Yost and J. H. Mercer on the Democratic side, and J. E. Fidler and S. H. Harman on the Republican side. For school director F. B. Hartman and Harry S. Barton are in the field.

E. F. Carpenter has been elected a director of the United Gas and Electric Company.

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Complete with mattress and pillows, best steel frame and springs—Complete $8.00 and $8.75.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

LICENSE APPLICATIONS.

Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have filed with the Clerk of the Quarter Sessions of Columbia County, their petitions for license, which will be presented to said court on

MONDAY, JANUARY 21, 1907,

at 10 o'clock a. m.

Jacob W. Adams, residence Catawissa township. Hotel, situate on a lot of ground in said township, bounded by land of Mathias Gingles, R. R. Zarr and by the public road leading from Catawissa to Roaringcreek, said hotel known as the "Three Points Hotel."

H. P. Aurand, residence Berwick borough. Restaurant, situate on the southeasterly side of W. Front St. at the corner of Euclid avenue and known and numbered as No. 130 West Front street in said borough.

Charles Alexander, residence Bloomsburg. Wholesale, situate the borough of West Berwick on the south side of Freas avenue, bounded on the east by lot and store building of Jos. Judkovics, south by an alley, west by M. Cordan, north by Freas avenue.

Alfred Andreas, residence Mifflinville. Hotel, situate in the village of Mifflinville on the southwest corner of Third and Race streets, bounded on the north by Third street, on the east by Race street, on the south by Fourth street and on the west by the estate of John Harmony.

Bartley Albertson, residence Rohrsburg. Hotel, situate in the village of Rohrsburg, on the northeast corner of Rohrsburg and Millville roads, and known as Rohrsburg Hotel.

Theodore Berger, residence Berwick. Restaurant, situate on the southerly side of W. Front street, between Market and Mulberry streets in said borough of Berwick. No. 116 West Front street.

Thomas Boran, residence, Centralia borough. Restaurant, situate on the corner of Paxton and Railroad avenues, in the second ward of said borough.

James Barrett, residence Briarcreek, Pa. Distiller, situate in Briarcreek township on a lot whereon is the Briarcreek postoffice and the sales room is opposite said post office in said building, bounded on the north by Briarcreek, east by Stewart A. Ash, south by public road, west by Geo. W. Ash estate, and owned by said James Barrett.

A. O. Bishop, residence Milton. Hotel, situate in Berwick borough on the northeast corner of Oak and Second streets, bounded north by Second street, east by land of M. Mellet et al., south by land of same, west by Oak street.

Edward Bowen, residence Locust Twp. Hotel, situate in Locust township, on west side of road leading from Numidia to Centralia, bonuded by Daniel Levan, Robert Watkins, Jacob Hoover, and Charles Hendricks.

Bloomsburg Brewing Co., residence Bloomsburg;. Wholesale, situate in the town of Bloomsburg in the second district of said town, beginning at an iron bolt set in the intersection of the south line of the D. L. and W. R. R. Co's right of way and the east line of lands known as the McClure tract, thence along said R. R. south 52 degrees 13 minutes west 300 5-10 feet to a post, thence by land of the grantors thereof south 26 degrees 56 minutes east 244 feet to a post, thence north 63 degrees 4 minutes, east 295 5-10 feet to a post in the east line of said McClure tract, thence along the same north 26 degrees 56 minutes, west 300 5-10 feet to the place of beginning.

J. S. Bachman, residence Bloomsburg. Wholesale, situate on north side of Second street, bounded on the north by Ridge alley, east by lot of Jos. L. Sharpless, south by Second street, west by lot of E. B. Brower.

James R. Bibby, residence Catawissa township. Hotel, situate in Catawissa township, bounded on the north by public road leading from Catawissa to Ashland, on the east by land of Wm. Wilson, west by land of Henry Fox, and known as Bibby's Hotel.

Charles Battaglia, residence West Berwick borough. Hotel, situate in said borough on north side of Freas avenue, known as Battaglia Hotel.

Mary E. Collins, residence Centralia borough. Restaurant, situate in first ward of said borough, on the east side of Locust avenue on lot bounded on the north by James Gannon, east by an alley, south by lot of John Spring, west by Locust avenue.

Columbia Brewing Co., Shenandoah, Pa. Wholesale, situate in West Berwick borough, on lot No. 801, on northwest corner of Washington street and right of way of S. B. and B. R. R. Co., north by Third avenue, west by lot No. 802, and owned by said Brewing Co.

Anthony T. Conway, residence, Centralia borough. Hotel, situate in the second ward of said borough, on the corner of Center street and Locust avenue.

Patrick Carey, residence Conyngham township. Restaurant, situate in the said township, in the village known as Dark Corner, on the west side of the public road leading from Centralia to Ashland.

John Colihan, residence Centralia borough. Restaurant, situate in second ward of said borough on the east side of Locust avenue, bounded north by Owen Cain, south by property of Edward J. Flynn.

Columbia Brewing Co., Shenandoah, Pa. Bottlers, situate in West Berwick borough, on lot No. 801, on northwest corner of Washington street and right of way of S. B. and B. R R. Co., north by Third avenue, west by lot No 802, and owned by said Brewing Co.

George E. Clemens, residence West Berwick. Restaurant, situate in said borough, bounded north by LaSalle street, east by lot of R. D. Austin, south by alley, west by Park street and numbered 541 LaSalle street.

C. E. Crawford, residence Jerseytown. Hotel, situate in village of Jerseytown on the corner of Millville and Muncy roads and known as the "Crawford House."

Harry Cox, residence Pine Summit. Hotel, situate in the village of Pine Summit at the intersection of public roads leading from Muncy to Bloomsburg and road from Pine Summit to Bloomsburg.

D. J. Donovan, residence Benton borough. Hotel, situate in said borough corner Second and Market streets and known as the "Exchange Hotel."

Dennis Dorsey, residence Jamison City. Hotel, situate in Jamison City, corner of Market street and Broad street, and known as the City Hotel.

Michael Douse, residence Centralia borough. Restaurant, situate in second ward of said borough on west side of Locust avenue, bounded by property of M. J. McDonnell and property of George W. Davis.

H. F. Dieffenbach, residence Bloomsburg. Hotel, situate on the northwest corner of East and Sixth streets in said town, bounded north by Wm. Veits, east by East street, south by Sixth street, and west by Strawberry alley.

Harry Derr and Wm. Derr, trading as Derr Bros., residence Bloomsburg. Restaurant, situate on the south side of Second of said town, bounded north by Second street, east by lot of Joshua Fetterman, now Titman, south by Pine alley, west by lot of H. J. Clark.

H. F. Dietrick, residence Orangeville borough. Hotel, situate on the northeast corner of Pine and Main streets in said borough, bounded north by E. H. Sloan, east by an alley, south by Pine street, and west by Main street of said borough, known as the Orangeville Hotel.

P. J. Delaney, residence Shenandoah. Restaurant, situate in West Berwick borough, bounded west by La Salle street, south by lot No. 7, north by lot No. 9, east by land of A. C. and F. Co., being lot No. 8.

Harry L. Ent, residence Berwick. Hotel, situate in West Berwick on the west side of LaSalle street, bounded north by land of G. Sponsler, east by LaSalle street, south by land of G. Sponsler, west by an alley.

Daniel E. Eckerd, residence West Berwick borough. Hotel, situate on the west side of LaSalle street of said borough, bounded north by land of Milton Freas, east by LaSalle street, south by land of Freas Fowler, west by an alley.

Daniel E. Fegley, residence Catawissa borough. Restaurant, situate in said borough on corner of Main and Second streets.

Matthew Forbes, residence Jamison City. Hotel, situate in Sugarloaf township, bounded north by an alley, east and south by land of Matthew Forbes, and on the east by Market street.

Barney A. Friedman, residence Berwick. Hotel, situate in the borough of Berwick, on the southeast corner of Vine street and Ninth street, being 50 feet front on Vine street and 150 feet on Ninth street.

James H. Fairman, residence Berwick borough. Hotel, situate on the north side of Canal street in said borough, bounded north by W. H. Martz, et. al., east by J. E. Smith, et. al., south by Canal street, west by land of Ida M. Fritz.

John Fedorco, residence borough of West Berwick. Hotel, situate in said borough at the corner of Warren street and Freas avenue, east by lot of R. D. Austin, south by an alley, west by Park street and numbered 541 LaSalle street.

Patrick Grant, residence Berwick. Wholesale, situate in West Berwick, bounded north by Second street, south by Front street, east by land of Frank Vigiana.

John Gross, residence Bloomsburg. Restaurant, situate on the south side of Second street, east by lot of John R. Townsend et. al., south by an alley, west by an alley, and known as the Exchange Block.

W. H. Gilmore, residence Bloomsburg. Restaurant, situate on the north side of Main street in said town, bounded north by an alley, east by Mrs. Hendershott, south by Main street, west by an alley.

Ambrose D. Goldsworthy, residence Centralia borough. Hotel, situate on the corner of Main street and Locust avenue, first ward, in said borough, bounded north by Main street, east by Locust avenue, south by lot of Goldsworthy Estate, west by an alley.

John W. Goldsworthy, residence Centralia borough. Hotel, situate in first ward on the west side of Locust avenue, bounded north by Maria Dyke, east by an alley, south by lot of C. S and L. Assn., west by Locust avenue.

Patrick J. Gaughan, residence Conynghain township. Restaurant, situate in the village of Byrnesville, said township, bounded north by lot of Mary Butler, east by road leading from Centralia to Ashland, south by Wm. Cawley, west by an alley.

Patrick Gaughan, residence Centralia, second ward. Restaurant, situate in said second ward, bounded north by James A. Simons, east by an alley, south by a vacant lot, west by public road leading from Catawissa to Centralia.

Martin Gutossky, residence Boro of West Berwick. Hotel, situate in the borough of West Berwick, corner lot No. 751 on second avenue.

Fred Hart, residence Berwick. Hotel, situate in Berwick, bounded north by Pine street, east by lot of E. Cope, west by lot of C.M. Aurand, south by lot of E. Cope, numbered 1007 Pine street.

A. F. Harman, reisdence Catawissa borough. Restaurant, situate in said borough on Main street adjoining lands of K. S. Cleaver on the west, J. T. Fox on the east and an alley on the south.

Lloyd P. Hause and Stephen B. Rhawn, trading under the firm name of Rhawn and Hause, residence Catawissa. Restaurant, situate in said borough, bounded east by land of S. B. Rhawn, west by an alley, south by an alley, north by Main street.

Jerry A. Hess, residence Bloomsburg. Restaurant, situate on the south side of Main street, bounded north by Main street, east by an alley, south by an alley, west by D. A. Creasy.

Oliver Honabach, residence Conyngham township. Hotel, situate on the west side of Main street in the village of Aristes, bounded north by a road or street of said village, east by the Main street, south by lot of Edward Honabach, west by an alley.

James C. Houghton, residence Pine township. Distillery, situate in Pine township, bounded north by land of Jas. C. Houghton, east by land of J. C. Houghton, south by road leading from Pine Summit to Unityville, and on the west by other land of J. C. Houghton.

P. B. Heddens, residence Bloomsburg. Hotel, situate on the west side of Iron street, bounded north by Franklin Keller, east by Iron street, south by W. B. Taylor, and on the west by an alley, known as the "Heddens House."

John Haley, residence Centralia, second ward. Restaurant, situate in said second ward of Centralia, bounded north by A. E. Fetterman, east by an alley, south by Allen Cain, and west by Locust avenue.

M. J. Harris, residence W. Berwick. Hotel, situate in the borough of West Berwick on south side of Freas avenue, bounded on the north by Freas avenue, east by land of Millet et. al., south by an alley, west by land of Berwick Land Improvement Company.

S. K. Heller, residence, Berwick borough. Restaurant, situate on the northerly side of W. Front St. of said borough bounded north by land of F. P. Hill, east by Doan and Jayne, south by Front street, west by other land of Samuel K. Heller.

Wm. A. Hartzel, residence Bloomsburg. Hotel, situate on the northeasterly corner of Second street and Murray's alley of said town, bounded north by lot of Caldwell Consistory, east by lot of C. S. Furman, south by Second street, west by Murray's alley.

Charles H. Horbach, residence Conyngham township. Hotel, situate in Locustdale in said township, on the right side of road leading from Ashland to Locust Gap, and known as the "West End Hotel."

M. I. and T. F. Hennessy, trading as Hennessy Bros., Restaurant, situate in the borough of Catawissa, on north side of Main street and known as "Hennessy Restaurant."

Home Brewing Company, residence Shenandoosh, Pa. Wholesale, situate in Connygham township, corner Center and Seventh streets, being lots Nos. 9 and 10 in block No. 24.

Thomas Hickey, residence, Bloomsburg. Hotel, situate in Bloomsburg, on southwest corner of Main and Railroad streets.

Joseph L. Judkovics, residence West Berwick. Wholesale, situate in said borough, bounded north by an alley, west by lot of Feldo Aundro, east by lot of Joe John, south by Freas avenue, numbered 644.

James B. Keller, residence Iola, Pa. Hotel, situate in Iola, bounded north by public road, east by lot of Charles Stackhouse, south by lot of W. Robbins, and west by lot of P. O. S. of A. Lodge.

The Charles D. Kair Co., Ltd. Wholesale, situate in the town of Bloomsburg on the northeast corner of Second and Leonard streets, bounded north by an alley, east by F. Anstock, south of Second street, west by Leonard street.

Elizabeth Kalwich, residence Centralia borough. Restaurant, situate in the second ward of said borough northwest corner of Locust avenue and Railroad avenue, bounded north by lot of Wm. Bullock estate, east by Locust avenue, south by Railroad avenue, and on the west by an alley.

D. P. Kistler, residence Catawissa borough. Hotel, situate in said borough, bounded north by Main street, east by Second street, south by an alley and on the west by S. D. Rinard, and known as the "Catawissa Hotel."

C. A. Kirby, residence Berwick borough. Hotel, situate at the southeast corner of Front and Market streets of said borough, bounded north by Front street, east by S. W. Dickson, et. al., south by Canal street, and west by Market street, and known as "St Charles Hotel."

Parvin Kile, residence Jamison City. Hotel, situate in Sugarloaf township, located in Jamison City, and known as "Proctor Inn."

Elmer E. Kelly, residence West Berwick. Hotel, situate in West Berwick, bounded on the north by Zeiser Bros, east by an alley, south by lot of Wm. Durling, on west by LaSalle street.

James M. Kline, residence Bloomsburg. Hotel, situate on the south side of Second street, of said town, bounded north by Second street, east by an alley, south by an alley, and west by Joshua Fetterman estate, and known as the "Central Hotel."

Jacob Kupsky, residence borough of West Berwick. Hotel, situate on the southeast corner of Monroe and Park streets of the borough of West Berwick.

Louis Kostenbauder, residence Aristes. Restaurant situate in Aristes Conyngham township, at corner of Midvalley road and road leading to Numidia.

A. J. Lynch and Co, residence Wilkes-Barre. Bottlers, situate in borough of Berwick, between Market and Mulberry street, numbered 136 W. Front street, bounded north by Front street, east by land of M. A Markle, south by Reagan alley, west by land of O. George.

John Lavelle, residence Centralia agent in the second ward of said borough, bounded north by lot of O. B. Millard, east by Locust avenue, south by lot of Ellen Douse, west by an alley.

Victor Marcinski, residence Centralia borough. Restaurant, situate in the second ward of said borough on the west side of Locust avenue, bounded north by George W. Davis, east by Locust avenue, south by C. G. Murphy Est., west by an alley.

Norman D. Masteller, residence Mainville. Hotel, situate in village of Mainville, Main township, bounded north by public road, south by land of B. R. Yetter, east by land of J. E. Longenberger, west by main public road.

Thos. Mohan, residence Conyngham township. Restaurant, situate on the east side of Centralia road leading from Centralia to Ashland in said township, bounded on the north by Margaret Kilker, east by an alley, south by Michael J. Byrnes, and west by public road leading to Ashland.

John McDonnell, residence Centralia borough. Restaurant, situate in the second ward of said borough on Railroad street, bounded north by borough. Restaurant, situate in the first ward, corner of Main street and Locust avenue of said borough, bounded north by Main street, east by an alley, south by land of the L. M. C. and I. Co., and west by Locust avenue.

A. J. Lynch and Co, residence Wilkes-Barre. Wholesale, situate in the southeasterly side of W. Front St. borough of Berwick, between Market and Mulberry street, numbered 136 West Front street, bounded north by Front steet, east by land of M. A. Markle, south by Reagan alley, west by land of O. George.

Ella V. Leitzel, residence Roaring Creek township. Hotel, situate in Roaring Creek township on the public road known as the old Reading road, known as the Mountain Rest Inn.

R. B. Latshaw, residence Montour township. Hotel, situate in the village of Rupert, on the public road leading from Rupert to Catawissa adjoining lands of L. H. Boody, William Johnson et al and known as the Rupert Hotel.

Michael J. McDonnell, residence, Centralia borough. Wholesale, as Railroad street, east by Andrew Rooney, south by John Moran and west by Locust avenue.

Thomas J. Madden, residence Centralia borough. Hotel, sitate in the first ward of said borough on the southeast corner of Locust avenue and Park street, bounded north by Park street, east by an alley, south by Edward Williams, west by Locust avenue.

Rohr McHenry Distilling Company, office, etc., Benton township. Distillers, situate in Benton township, bounded north and east by public road leading from Derrs to Benton, and on the south and west by lands of Rohr McHenry estate.

J. B. McHenry, residence Benton borough. Hotel, situate on eastern side of Second street in said borough and known as the "McHenry House."

W. M. Miller and H. D. Miller, trading as Miller Brothers, residences Briarcreek township Hotel, situate in Foundryville, said township, bounded on northeast and south by land of D. G. Klinetob, and on the west by road leading from Berwick to Jonestown.

G. H. Morton, residence Berwick borough. Hotel, situate on corner of Front and Market streets, bounded north by Front street, east by Market street, south by an alley, west by land of Chas. Haas. Known as Hotel Morton.

Nathan Neiswender, residence Conyngham township. Hotel, situate in said township on the west side of the main public road leading from Numidia to Aristes.

William Ney, residence Beaver township. Hotel, situate in said township, bounded east by Sherman Heller, west by Daniel Ramer, north by John Hunsinger, south by public road.

Patrick O'Reilly, residence Centralia borough. Restaurant, situate in the second ward of said borough, bounded north by an alley, south by Railroad street, east by an alley, west by vacant lot.

Johanna O'Connor, residence Centralia borough. Hotel, situate in the first ward of said borough, on the west side of Locust avenue, bounded north by Albert Ball, east by Locust avenue, south by Michael O'Connor, west by an alley.

John J. O'Donnell, residence Centralia. Restaurant, situate in first ward, of Centralia on corner of Locust avenue and an alley.

J. W. Perry, residence Sugarloaf township. Hotel, situate in the village of Elk Grove, said township, bounded east by Elijah Hess, north by Hummer and Yorks, west by public road leading from Central to Laporte, south by other lands of said Perry, and known as the Elk Grove House.

The Pennsylvania Central Brewing Co., residence Hazleton. Bottlers, situate in West Berwick, corner Third avenue and Warren street, bounded north by S. B. and B. R. R., east by Warren street, south by Third avenue, west by land of Berwick Land Improvement Co.

John Pavlowsky, residence Briar Creek township. Hotel situate in said township, bounded east by Sixth avenue, north by M. Luska, west by an alley, south by Pauli Nurcik. Lot No. 1804.

Benjamin Pennypacker, residence Mifflin township. Hotel, situate on the north side of Third street in the village of Mifflinville in said township, bounded south by Third street, east by George Zimmerman, north by Second street, west by lot of William Goodhart.

Pennsylvania Central Brewing Co., John Arnold department, residence Hazelton. Wholesale, situate in West Berwick, corner Third avenue and Warren street, bounded on north by S. B. and B. R. R., east by Warrren street, south by Third avenue, west by land of Berwick Land Improvement Co.

Alexander Pryzemieniecky, residence Centralia, second ward. Restaurant, situate in second ward of Centralia, bounded north by Catharine Britt, east by an alley, south by Owen Cain, west by Locust avenue.

Edgar Rishe, residence Center township. Hotel, situate on the south side of public road leading from Bloomsburg to Berwick in the village of Centerville, bounded north by said public road, east by Ferry road, south by an alley, west by land of George Sponsler.

Ellen Rooney, residence Centralia borough. Restaurant, situate in the second ward of said borough, bounded north by P. F. Burke estate, east by an alley, south by Martin Walsh and west by Locust avenue.

S. D. Rimby, residence Madison township. Hotel, situate in the village of Jerseytown, bounded north by E. F. Johnson, east by public road leading to Millville, south by public road leading to White Hall and west by Geo. S. Lee.

Dennis Rowan, residence Conyngham township. Restaurant, situate on the east side of Main street in the village of Byrnesville, said township, bounded north by Mrs. Conrey, east by an alley, south by Catharine Bradley and west by Main street aforesaid.

William Rush, residence Bloomsburg. Bottler, situate on the rear end of a lot belonging to Mrs. Lillie M. Taylor, bounded north by lot of P. B. Heddens, east by Iron street, south by Ridge alley, on the west by Miller alley.

Daniel Roach, residence Conyngham township. Hotel, situate at Aristes in said township, on the road leading from Numidia to Ashland and adjoining lands of James Kostenbauder and the Lehigh Coal Company, and known as the Mountain Hotel.

Clayton T. Reitmeyer, residence Pine township. Hotel, situate at Pine Summit, Pine township bounded on the east by public road, north by public road, west by John Reece, south by land of Reece et al.

George W. Remley, residence Light Street. Hotel, situate in the village of Light Street, bounded north by public road east by E. D. Hagenbuch, south by Peter Zeigler, west by public road leading from Light Street to Bloomsburg.

Monroe Rappe, residence Catawissa borough. Bottler, situate on Mill street in said borough, bounded north by Mrs. Henry Shane, east by an alley, west by Mary Walter.

G. F. Sponenberg, residence West Berwick. Hotel, situate in the borough of West Berwick, bounded north by Wesley Pettit, east by an alley, west by LaSalle street, south by lot of H. S. Williams and numbered 532 LaSalle street.

Stegmaier Brewing Co., residence WilkesBarrre. Wholesale, situate on the south side of Seventh street, Bloomsburg, bounded south by an alley west by Thomas Sullivan, north by Seventh street, east by D. L. and W. Railroad.

Hiram A. Shaffer, residence Orangeville borough. Hotel, situate on Main street insaid borough, bounded north by Calvin Herring and an alley, east by Main street, south by Rebecca Megargell, west by Mill street, and known as the Heckman House.

Gehrad Snyder, residence Bloomsburg. Hotel, situate on Second street of said town, bounded on the south, east and west by an alley, and on the north by Second street, and known as the Exchange Hotel.

Edward Schenke, residence Berwick borough. Hotel, situate on the corner of West Front and Oak streets in said borough and bounded north by Mathias Frantz, on the south by Oak

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The advertisement said "new and second hand harps"; and if you could now buy harps second hand, that would seem to indicate that there must be more harps in use and that more people must be buying new harps. A New York instrument dealer said that that deduction was quite correct, that there had been a revival of the harp, and that now there are more harps sold than ever.

This greater demand for harps, he said, began some twelve or fifteen years ago and has continued increasing ever since, with its greatest increase with the last three years. The new favor into which the harp has now come is due in some measure to the general prosperity, but more, perhaps, to the great improvements that in recent years have been brought about in its construction.

While the harp is associated in the mind with ancient times and with Eastern and European countries and with history and romance generally, it seems that the best harps made in the present day are those produced in new and practical America.

The modern harp is in every way superior to the old time instrument; but in its later development the greatest improvements in the harp, contributing to its musical effectiveness and to its utility and endurance as an instrument, have been made in this country; with the result that American harps are now sold not only here but in Europe and wherever lovers of the harp are to be found.

The harp is now frequently heard in orchestras; it is more and more used in churches, and its music is to be heard at weddings, and now it is coming to be used in more and more homes.

It is itself a beautiful object for the eye to rest upon—many of the harps now made are very beautiful—and it is highly decorative in its effect; and the music of the harp appeals to many, and more people than ever before are learning to play upon it.

With the increase in the use of harps there are now more harp teachers. One musical concern in New York has upon its books the names of fifty-four harp teachers, men and women, in New York and Broklyn, and there are thirty-seven teachers of the harp in the muscial union. All told there are now in New York a hundred or more teachers whose pupils include children as well as adults, some of these teachers supplementing their teaching with playing in orchestras or at weddings.

Harps are rather expensive. There are low priced American harps suitable for beginners, but the best American instruments cost from $650 to $2,000, and first class harps in perfect condition cost at second hand from $350 up to $500 or $600. But despite these prices harps go not into the homes of the wealthy alone, but as well into the homes of people of more moderate means.

And harps are sold on instalments and rented, like other musical instruments.

Lovers' Signs.

The young people in Tahiti have a custom of conversing with flowers not unlike the Orientals. If a coolness has sprung up between a young pair, the lady will separate a flower partially down the center.

One half of the split flower is intended to represent the man, and the other half the woman, and it is meant typically to imply that, though they are separate bodies, they are joined together at the heart. If the lover puts the flower in his hair, it is a sign that he wishes to preserve her favor, but if he tears it asunder, it is a token that he has lost his regard for her and wishes to be entirely separated.

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LICENSE APPLICATIONS.

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street and numbered 338 W. Front St.

Edward J. Shaeffer, residence Centralia borough. Hotel, situate in the first ward of said borough, on the west side by Locust avenue, bounded north by a private alley, east by Locust avenue, south by John Moran, west by private alley.

Stegmaier Brewing Co., residence Wilkes-Barre. Wholesale, situate in the west side of Chestnut street in Berwick borough, bounded east by Chestnut street, south and west by land of Penna. Canal Co. north by land of D. L. and W. R. R. Co.

William B. Schuck, residence borough of Catawissa. Hotel, situate in said borough, bounded on the south by Main street, west by Second street, north by an alley, and east by property of Clark estate. Known as Susquehanna Hotel.

Andrew O. Stonge residence Montour township. Hotel, situate in the village of Grovania, said township,, bounded north by Henry Lazarus east by Isaiah Hagenbuch, south by public road, west by Jere Beeber, and known as the Hotel Stonge.

J. F. Shoemaker, residence West Berwick. Hotel, situate on the southeast corner of Spring Garden avenue and Mercer street, in West Berwick borough, bounded north by Spring Garden avenue, west by Mercer street south by, Schley alley, east by Mrs. Sarah Ann Durling.

Jacob Steen, residence Sugarloaf township. Hotel, situate in the village of Central, said township, bounded north by a lot of Louisa Steen, east by an alley, south by Joshua Hess, west by public road. Known as the Central Park Hotel.

Henry Schlanger, residence West Berwick. Hotel, situate in said borough, southeast corner of LaSalle strreet and Freas avenue.

Henry Schonderger, residence Briar Creek township. Hotel, situate in said township, bounded north by Sixth avenue, east by lot of Henry Schonderger, south by same, west by Warren street.

Annie Sponenberg, residence Berwick. Restaurant, situate in said borough, bounded north by Front street, east by Euclid avenue, south by Reagan alley, west by M. A. Markle. No. 132 West Front street.

Joseph Samley, residence Pittston. Hotel, situate in West Berwick, bounded north by Poplar street, east by an alley, south by other land of Joseph Samley, west by LaSalle street.

John Sedusky, residence Conyngham Twp. Wholesale, situate in Aristes, Conyngham township, on west side of public road leading from Centralia to Catawissa.

Wm. F. Stohner, residence Bloomsburg. Hotel situate on south side of Main street in said town, bounded north by Main street, east by E. B. Brower, south by an alley, west by P. K. Vannatta.

Joseph E. Sands, residence Mordansville. Hotel, situate in Mordansville, on the south side of road leading from Sand's store to Eyersgrove, bounded north by said road, east by Free church, south and west by land of C. L. Sands.

John Tomko, residence Schuylkill county. Hotel, situate in West Berwick., bounded north by Scyamore street, east by Monroe street, south by lot of Elizabeth Tribula, west by an alley.

Joseph Tretter, residence Centralia borough. Hotel, situate in first ward of said borough on the west side of Locust avenue, bounded north by Goldsworthy, east by Locust avenue, south by Michael O'Connor, on the west by an alley.

Aaron Trexler, residence Conyngham township. Wholesale, situate on the east side of the public road leading from Catawissa to Ashland, bounded on the north and east by Lehigh Valley Coal Co., south by the same and on the west by public road.

Immanuel Visintainer, residence Centralia borough. Hotel situate in the first ward of said borough corner Locust avenue and Centre street bounded north by Center street east by Locust avenue, south by lot of B. J. Dyke, and west by an alley.

Sue A. Wolf, residence Scott township. Hotel, situate in the village of Espy, said township, on the north side of Main street, bounded north by an alley, east by road leading from Waples' store to D. L. and W. R. R., south by Main street, and west by Stephen Pettit, and known as the Espy Hotel.

George W. Wright, residence Philadelphia. Restaurant, situate in Bloomsburg west side of Center street between Second and Third streets, bounded north by an alley, east by Center street, south by an alley, west by land of G. Snyder and known as the Opera House Block.

George Wagonseller, residence Bloomsburg. Hotel, situate on south side of Second street, bounded north by Second street, east by Miller heirs, south by an alley, west by D. Lowenberg Est., and known as the St. Elmo Hotel.

Dora E. Yost, residence Bloomsburg. Restaurant, situate in the fourth election district of said town, on the east side of East street, bounded north by Fifth street, east by Rescue Hose Co., south by Wm. Yost, west by East street.

Montilius Yeager and James Yeager, residence Conyngham township. Hotel, situate in the village of Numidia, said township, on the road leading from Catawissa to Centralia, bounded on the west by said road, south by road leading to Newlin, north by land of John L. Kline, and known as Numidia Hotel.

Boyd R. Yetter, residence Main township. Hotel, situate in the village of Mainville on the west side of public road leading from Mainville to Catawissa, bounded on the west by Catawissa creek, north by A. W. Gruver, south by C. S. Richard, east by public road.

Lloyd Yeager residence Catawissa borough. Hotel, situate in said borough, bounded east by lot of John Haley, west by Railroad street, north by Pine street, south by other land of your petitioner, and known as Railroad Hotel.

Wellington Yeager, residence Locust township. Hotel, situate in said township on public road leading from Catawissa to Numidia and road leading to Millgrove and known as National Cross Keys Hotel.

Simon Yedinsky, residence Catawissa borough. Wholesale, situate in West Berwick, number 535 Monroe street, West Berwick.

Rudolph Yankee, residence Greenwood township. Hotel, situate in village of Eyersgrove, said township, bounded north by a public road leading from Eyersgrove to Jerseytown, east by public road leading from Millville to Mordansville, south by lot Jackson Robins, west by an alley and known as the Eyersgrove Hotel.

Joseph Zeigler, residence Bloomsburg. Restaurant, situate on the northeast corner of Center and Second streets, Bloomsburg, bounded north by an alley, east by lot of L. T. Sharpless, south by Second street, west by Center street and known as the White House.

C. M. TERWILLIGER.
Clerk of Court of Quarter Sessions.
Clerk's Office, Bloomsburg, Pa., December 31, 1906.

Court Room "Exhibits."

What are known as "exhibits" in law cases range from sheets of paper to boilers and other large articles. At various times an omnibus, a motor car and a cab have been on view in the private roadway by the side of the London law courts, and as they could not be brought into the witness box the Judge and jury have had to go out and inspect them in the open. One of the most ponderous "exhibits" of this kind was a large ship's boiler furnace which was conveyed from Swansea for inspection.

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SOME QUEER MISTAKES

Devices Resorted to in Order to Avoid Responsibility for Errors in Letters—The Latest Plan Invented by Traveling Salesmen—Errors of Stenographers.

The phrase "dictated but not reread" is now occasionally seen stamped or typewritten in the lower left hand corner of a typewritten letter. This is the latest loophole of escape adopted by cautious though very busy men to avoid reading over the letters they dictate, and, at the same time, to explain any error made by a careless or ignorant stenographer.

By this simple expedient a business man is able to affix his signature to each of a pile of typewritten letters, trusting to luck that no glaring mistakes have been made. Again, with this printed explanation the business man may leave before the day's mail is finished, this explanation making a personal signature unnecessary.

This scheme for relieving one's self from the results of mistakes caused either by the misunderstanding of a word at the time of dictating or the stenographer's ignorance of business terms was first adopted by travelling salesmen obliged to have most of their correspondence done at hotels along the route and never sure of the accuracy of the stenographer available.

As in many cases a salesman is obliged to leave for another city before his letters are finished, the necessity for some such explanation is obvious. While a carbon copy of each letter is usually sent him at his next stoppling place, the original goes on to the headquarters of his company and sometimes contain amusing mistakes, the result of ignorance of the terms used in his particular line of business.

For instance, not long ago a fire insurance adjuster obliged to dictate an important letter just before taking a train was surprised on his next visit to the home office to find that only about half of his letter had ever been received. About midway in the letter the stenographer had inserted this note:

"Here the gentleman went so fast I didn't know what he said, but it was something about a crosseyed agreement."

After a little thought on the part of the one who dictated the letter he remembered that he had referred to a quasi agreement, an expression with which the hotel stenographer was evidently unfamiliar.

Another instance was the case of a young attorney who dictated a letter to his stenographer asking a brother lawyer if he could argue a demurrer on a certain day. The letter was sent out hurriedly and not reread.

The next day the letter was returned to the writer asking for an interpretation of what seemed a surprising request. Investigation showed that the stenographer had misread her notes and inquired if the young lawyer could "agree to be demure" on a certain day.

"Dictated by ——, but not reread by him" is sometimes added at the bottom of a letter by means of a rubber stamp, the initials of the particular person dictating the letter being filled in with a pen. This method is adopted when the letter has been dictated by one member of a firm and signed by another perhaps not entirely familiar with the subject matter.

Wrote a Novel a Year.

Miss Rosa Nouchette Carey, the novelist, is at present living at East Putney. She has made a great deal of money from her novels. She is the typical middle-aged English spinster. She wears her hair, which is threaded plentifully with white, plainly back from the temples in the fashion of the '60s, and the coiffure is crowned with the inevitable cap. She was the daughter of William Henry Carey, and was educated at a young ladies' institute, St. John's Wood, which in those days was a little different from latter years. She did not commence writing until 1868 and she has turned out a novel a year almost since that time.

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For Catawissa and Sunbury, 8:25, 11:47 a. m., 4:07, 7:25 p. m. week days; Sundays 4:07 p. m.

For Pittston and Scranton as follows: 7:50 10:46 a. m., 2.44, 6.20 p. m. week-days.

For Pottsville, Reading and Philadelphia, 7 50 a. m., 4:28 p. m. week days.

For Hazleton, 7:50 10:46 a. m., 4.28, 6.20 p. m. week days.

For Lewisburg, Milton, Williamsport, Lock Haven, Renovo, and Ridgway 11 47 a. m. week days; Lock Haven only, 8:25 a. m. 4:07 p. m.; for Williamsport and intermediate stations, 8:25, 11:47 a. m. 4:07, 7.25 p. m. week days; 4.07 p. m. Sundays.

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For Harrisburg and intermediate stations 8.25, 11:47 a. m., 4:07, 7:25 p. m. week days; 4:07 p. m. Sundays.

For Philadelphia (via Harrisburg), Baltimore and Washington 8.25, 11:47 a. m., 4:07, 7:25 p. m. week days; Sundays, 4:07 p. m.

For Pittsburg (via Harrisburg), 8:25 a. m., 4.07 7.25 p. m. week days; 4:07 daily; via Lewistown Junction, 8:25, 11:47 a. m. week-days; via Lock Haven, 8:25, 11:47 a. m. week-days.

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For Williamsport, weekdays, 7.27 a m 3.29 p m.

For Danville and Milton, weekdays, 7:27 a m 3.29 p. m.

For Catawissa weekdays 7.27, 11:28 a m 12.20, 7.00, p. m.

For Rupert weekdays 7.27, 11.28 a. m. 12 20 3.29, 7.00, p. m.

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Leave New York via Philadelphia 9.05 a m., and via Easton 9.10a. m.
Leave Philadelphia 10.21 a. m.
Leave Reading 12.15 p. m.
Leave Pottsville 9.55 p. m.
Leave Tamaqua 1.49 p. m.,
Leave Williamsport weekdays 10.06 a m, 4.30 p. m.
Leave Catawissa weekdays, 6.36, 8.20 a. m. 1.30, 3.32 p.m.
Leave Rupert, weekdays, 6.44, 8.28, 11.40 a m. 1.38, 3.40 6.21 p. m.

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7:30 a. m. Lcl.	4:00 p. m. Exp.	8:50 a. m.
9:00 a. m. Exp	(60 Minutes)	4:15 p. m.
11:20 a. m. Exp.	5:00 p. m. Exp.	5:00 p. m.
2:00 p. m. Exp.	5:00 p. m. Lcl.	SEA ISLE CITY
	7:15 p. m. Exp.	8:50 a. m.
	SUNDAYS.	
ATLANTIC CITY	ATLANTIC CITY.	CAPE MAY OCEAN CITY
8:00 a. m. Lcl.	5:00 p. m. Lcl.	AND SEA ISLE CITY,
9:00 a. m. Exp.	7:15 p. m. Exp.	8:45 a. m.
10:00 a. m. Exp.		

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Cars leave Bloom for Espy, Almedia, Lime Ridge, Berwick and intermediate points as follows:

A. M. ¶5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:20, 11:00, 11:40.

P. M. 12:20, 1:00, 1:40, 2.20, 3:00, 3:40, 4:20, 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, *(9:40) 10:20 *(11:00)

Leaving depart from Berwick one hour from time as given above, commencing at 6:00 a. m.

Leave Bloom for Catawissa A. M. 5:30, 6:15, †7:00, †8:00, 9:00, †10:00, †11:00, 12:00.

P. M. 1:00, †2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:00, †7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:20, *(11:00)

Cars returning depart from Catawissa 20 minutes from time as given above.

First car leaves Market Square for Berwick on Sundays at 7:00 a. m.

First car for Catawissa Sundays 7:00 a. m.

First car from Berwick for Bloom Sundays leaves at 8:00 a. m

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STATIONS.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	*6 45	†9 00	11.50	*5 27
Cameron	6 56	.....	12 01	5 38
Danville	7 09	10 19	2 13	5 46
Catawissa	7 19	10 32	2 23	5 56
Rupert	7 24	10 37	2 29	6 01
Bloomsburg	7 31	10 41	2 33	6 05
Espy	7 36	10 46	2 40	6 13
Lime Ridge	7 41	10 51	2 46	6 18
Willow Grove	7 45	.....	2 50	.....
Briarcreek	7 48	.....	2 53	6 25
Berwick	7 54	11 02	2 58	6 34
Beach Haven	8 00	11 07	3 03	6 41
Hick's Ferry	8 08	11 12	3 09	6 47
Shickshinny	8 20	11 25	3 20	6 59
Hunlock's	8 30	.....	3 31	7 09
Nanticoke	8 37	11 39	3 38	7 14
Avondale	8 40	.....	3 42	7 22
Plymouth	8 47	11 47	3 47	7 29
Plymouth Junction	8 47	.....	3 54	.....
Kingston	8 55	11 55	4 00	7 39
Luzerne	8 58	11 58	4 03	7 42
Porty Fort	9 00	.....	4 07	.....
Wyoming	9 05	12 05	4 12	7 48
West Pittston	9 10	.....	4 17	7 53
Susquehanna Ave	9 13	12 11	4 20	7 56
Pittston	9 19	12 14	4 24	8 01
Duryea	9 23	.....	4 29	8 06
Old Forge	9 26	.....	4 32	8 10
Taylor	9 32	.....	4 40	8 17
SCRANTON	*9 42	†2 35	4 50	*8 25
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.

WEST.

STATIONS.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON	6 35	10 20	1 55	*6 40
Taylor	6 44	10 30	2 03	6 49
Old Forge	6 50	10 36	2 10	6 55
Duryea	6 53	10 39	2 13	6 59
Pittston	6 57	10 44	2 17	7 02
Susquehanna Ave	7 00	10 47	2 19	7 04
West Pittston	7 04	10 51	2 23	7 08
Wyoming	7 09	10 56	2 27	7 12
Forty Fort	.....	.....	†2 31	.....
Luzerne	7 16	11 02	2 34	7 19
Kingston	7 24	11 08	2 40	7 25
Plymouth Junction	.....	.....	.....	.....
Plymouth	7 28	11 17	2 49	7 34
Avondale	7 37	.....	2 54	.....
Nanticoke	7 41	11 25	2 58	7 42
Hunlock's	7 47	11 34	3 06	7 48
Shickshinny	7 57	11 44	3 20	7 58
Hick's Ferry	8 08	†11 54	3 30	†8 09
Beach Haven	8 14	12 00	3 37	8 14
Berwick	8 22	12 07	3 44	8 20
Briarcreek	.....	12 12	†3 50	.....
Willow Grove	.....	.....	†3 54	†8 29
Lime Ridge	†8 33	12 18	3 58	8 33
Espy	.....	12 23	4 06	8 39
Bloomsburg	8 45	12 29	4 12	8 46
Rupert	8 49	12 34	4 15	8 50
Catawissa	8 54	12 38	4 20	8 55
Danville	9 07	12 51	4 32	9 10
Cameron	9 14	†1 01	†4 43	.....
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 25	*1 12	†4 55	9 35
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

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NORTHWARD.

	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M
	‡	†	‡	21
Bloomsburg D L & W	9 00	2 37	6 15	6 06
Bloomsburg P & R	9 02	2 39	6 17	....
Bloomsburg Main St	9 05	2 42	6 20	....
Paper Mill	9 15	2 52	6 30	6 20
Light Street	9 18	2 55	6 34	6 25
Orangeville	9 26	3 03	6 43	6 50
Forks	9 36	3 13	6 53	7 08
Zaners	fg 40	f3 17	6 57	7 15
Stillwater	9 48	3 25	7 03	7 40
Benton	9 56	3 33	7 12	8 10
Edsons	10 00	3 37	7 17	8 20
Coles Creek	10 03	3 40	7 21	8 16
Laubachs	10 08	3 45	7 26	8 40
Grass Mere Park	f10 10	3 47	7 28	....
Central	10 15	3 52	7 41	9 05
Jamison City	10 18	3 55	7 45	9 15

SOUTHWARD.

	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
	†	†	‡	‡	22
Jamison City	5 50	10 48	4 35	7 00	11 30
Central	5 53	10 51	4 38	7 03	11 45
Grass Mere Park	f6 01	f7 12	f4 47	f11 00	....
Laubachs	6 03	11 02	4 48	7 13	11 52
Coles Creek	f6 12	11 06	4 53	7 22	12 05
Edsons	6 14	f11 09	f4 56	f7 24	12 10
Benton	6 18	11 13	5 00	7 28	12 35
Stillwater	6 28	11 21	5 08	7 38	12 45
Zaners	f6 35	f11 29	5 17	f7 45	12 58
Forks	6 39	11 33	5 21	7 49	1 00
Orangeville	6 50	11 4	5 31	8 00	1 30
Light Street	7 00	11 50	39	8 10	1 45
Paper Mill	6 03	11 53	5 42	8 18	1 58
Bloom. Main St.	7 13	12 02	5 53	8 23	2 05
Bloom. P & R	7 18	12 05	5 55	8 28	2 10
Bloom. D L & W	7 20	12 10	6 00	8 30	2 15

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WASHINGTON

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, D. C. Jan. 14, 1907.

It looks as though the House had fixed up a scheme whereby it will be able to block any legislation to which it has an objection, especially anything in which the Senate or the President are particularly interested. It has taken up the consideration of a Revised Penal Code, and has made it the next order of business after the Appropriation Bill. This means that no legislation will have a right of way over any legislation except the appropriation bills at any time the appropriation bills are not under discussion. The measure naturally is about as long as the Moral Law, and it will have to be read in extenso Members who wish can discuss it any length they please and it will be only by special Providence that anything the House wishes to oppose gets by this piece of obstructive legislation.

The chances are one of the first things it will be used to kill is Senator La Follette's bill limiting the hours of labor for railroad employees. A vote was fixed for this bill this week, but the House will have a chance at it when it comes up for reconsideration and it may be considered almost as good as dead. The numerous other urgent matters, including the Brownsville case, and the State's Rights bill, will all have to wait the pleasure of the House before they get a hearing.

They are telling a story, however, tending to indicate that the House thinks very well of the prospect for legislation. The story is probably apocryphal, but it is good enough to bear repeating. They say the Steering Committee was holding an informal meeting just before the recess and discussing the same matter of possible legislation. The most of the members were inclined to take a pessimistic view of the situation and professed to think there would not be much done, save routine work and the passage of the regular appropriation bills. Then arose one member and spoke as follows:

"Gentlemen, I am not given to these gloomy forebodings. Congress has done well this session. We have already done more than we had any reason to hope. We have already saved the dictionary of the United States, and before we get through d- - ned if I don't think we will save the constitution also."

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The President is on the eve of sending another message to Congress and this too is going to be illustrated. It is a report on the break in the banks of the Colorado River, which is ast becoming a question of national moment. The message is likely to handle Mr. E. H. Harriman and the Southern Pacific Railroad, either with gloves or else with gloves of the two ounce variety. It will be recalled that the break in the Colorado River was caused originally by a flood carrying out the head gates of an irrigation canal that had been dug by the California Development Company. This turned the whole course of the Colorado River westward and northward into the depths of a remarkable geological depression, known as the Salton sink. This is deeper than the Dead Sea and below the Pacific level and contains an area of over 2000 square miles, much of it capable of becoming rich farming land as soon as irrigation water is put on it. The river is pouring in to the bottom of this depression and promises if not stopped to form an inland sea as big as Lake Michigan. The river is running through soft alluvial ground and has already cut itself a canyon 80 feet deep and in places 1500 feet across, and is eating its way backward at the rate of half a mile a day.

The point where Mr. Harriman and his duplicity come in is that the California Development Company is owned by the Southern Pacific Railroad whose tracks are menaced by the rising flood. Some weeks ago President Roosevelt urged Mr. Harriman to have the Southern Pacific close up this dangerous break in the river banks. Mr. Harriman at that time declared that the Southern Pacific Railroad had no interest in the California Development Company and suggested that the federal government should bear a part, if not the whole expense of turning the Colorado back into its old channel. It now appears, however, that the Southern Pacific owns the California Development Company outright and the President in his forthcoming message probably will suggest that the Southern Pacific Railway be made to bear the whole expense of replacing the river in its channel, and will have a few characteristic things to state on the subject of Mr. Harriman and his effort to hoodwink the government.

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Little has been heard for a week or more on the Panama Canal, but that matter promises to crop up in Congress on the report that is now in circulation to the effect that the whole scheme for a lock canal is jeopardized by the fact that no foundations have been discovered for the gatun dam. This dam, if erected, would be the largest in every respect in the whole world, and would make the Assuan dam in Egypt look like an ordinary railroad enbankment beside it. It is designed to form a lake to divert the entire flow of the Chagras River, and if it cannot be built will necessarily change the whole plan of the canal construction. Borings have been made on the site of the dam, but it is claimed that no satisfactory foundation has been discovered.

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"FARMER" CREASY INTRODUCES BILL.

Fighting Democrat Still Fighting for Trolley Freight.

After all the years of fighting for trolley freight in the Pennsylvania legislature, William T. Creasy, of Columbia county, again introduced such a bill in the house on Tuesday. This is the first time that Mr Creasy ever introduced such legislation that he seemed to have any chance of witnessing it become a law.

Mr. Creasy's bill is a brief one and provides that all railroad companies operated by any power other than steam shall have the right to carry freight over their lines, wherever located, subject to certain restrictions.

The restrictions are that any borough or city through which the lines of the traction company may run and over which lines the company wishes to carry freight may tax the company for the privilege of carrying freight through the municipality.

These restrictions are incorporated in the bill by Mr. Creasy so that cities and boroughs may not be held up by the traction companies and the companies enjoy valuable privileges without the city or borough getting remuneration.

College Figures Doubled.

Remarkable Increase In Number of Students in Ten Years.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Schaeffer, secretary of the College and University Council, has sent his sixth biennial report on higher education in Pennsylvania to the Legislature. During the last ten years the number of undergraduates in the colleges has increased from 6500 to 16,421, and the number of women at colleges from 1202 to 3147. The report submits figures to show that the public schools may rely upon the smaller colleges for the supply of teachers in so far as college-bred men and women can be secured to teach in the public schools.

The report states that in many quarters a cry is heard from the emancipation of the high school from the dominat on of the college, and that it is to be hoped the modern method of teaching history will find its way from the college into the public schools.

College Must Pay Tax.

Judge Endlich Renders an Important Decision at Chambersburg.

A decision in which every educational institution, partly supported by charity, is concerned, was handed down recently by Judge Endlich, of Reading, when he decided that Mercersburg College must pay county, borough and school taxes.

It was contended by the Board of Regents that the corporation is an institution of purely public charity and a college founded, endowed and maintained by private charity, and therefore exempt. Judge Endlich recites that the revenues derived from tuition, the revenues from a store maintained at the college, and the rental of college ground bring it within the corporations amenable to the tax law. An appeal will be taken.

NEW STATE ADMINISTRATION.

Governor Edwin S. Stuart was inaugurated at Harrisburg on Tuesday with brilliant ceremony. Robert S. Murphy entered upon the duties of Lieutenant Governor at the same time.

The ceremonies took place at the Capitol and were witnessed by thousands. There was a grand parade by the militia and political clubs.

The Governor has made the following appointments:

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Court so Declares in Rejecting Schooley's Testament.

G. B. Schooley's attempt to capture the Crawford estate of over a million received a hard set back Saturday at Scranton Judge Sando, in Orphans' Court, handed down an opinion in which he makes it clear that he believes the will presented by Schooley is a forgery.

Schooley lives in Philadelphia and was a cousin of the late James L. Crawford, president of the People's Coal Company, of Scranton, who died in Florida on January 19, 1905, leaving an estate worth nearly $2,000,000. Soon after his death Mrs. Crawford had his will probated. It left practically all of the estate to her,

Sixteen months later Schooley produced a will, which, he alleged, was made at a later date than the one produced by Mrs. Crawford. This gave Schooley the major portion of the Crawford estate. Then he began his fight to have this will recognized. He is now under indictment in Lackawanna county on a charge of forging the signature of Mr. Crawford to the will.

In the opinion Judge Sando declares that the evidence furnished to prove the will ungenuine is so overwhelming that the Court has no other course than to refuse to consider the document, although two witnesses have sworn that they witnessed Crawford sign the will in favor of Schooley. Attorney S. B. Price, counsel for Mr. Schooley, says that an appeal to the Supreme Court will be taken.

Pennsy to Absorb the P. & E.

By Exchange of Stock, Its Separate Identity Will Be Ended.

The Philadelphia & Erie is to be consolidated with the Pennsylvania Railroad and become an integral part of that system and its identity as an independent railway corporation lost through its dissolution. This action is expected to follow shortly upon the consummation of the proposition to the majority of stockholders of the Philadelphia & Erie by the Pennsylvania Railroad to exchange their stock for Pennsylvania stock on a share for share basis.

While no official announcement to that effect has been made it is intimated in official circles that this would be the next step after the Pennsylvania had secured complete control of the Philadelphia & Erie through an exchange of stock. The Pennsylvania Railroad's charter, it was explained, provided for the building of a line to the Great Lakes. Before this could be accomplished the Philadelphia & Erie, which has been operated by the Pennsylvania since 1862, was built, and its absorption and merger with the Pennsylvania would be in line with its charter provisions.

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Frank Sloan of Baltimore, spent a few days in town this week visiting his father, C. P. Sloan.

If the photographer took people for what they are worth he would take some people for nothing.

The case of Beckley and Everett in the United States District court at Williamsport has been continued until June.

Tommy—"Pop, ears are always on the side, aren't they?" Tommy's Pop—"Yes, my son." Tommy—"Then what's a frontier?"

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Wilson Finds That Blenders Get Remainder of Country's Output.

Secretary Wilson says that his visit to some of the Baltimore distilleries in company with Dr. H. W. Wiley, chief of the Bureau of Chemistry, and George F. McCabe, the law officer of the Agricultural Department, has been productive of good results. They examined the operations of two distilleries, one blending establishment and a gin still, with a view to ascertaining precisely how the liquors are made.

At the gin still only six barrels of the liquor are manufactured each day. It is pronounced pure by Dr. Wiley, but not a gallon of it is sold in the market. It is sold exclusively to blenders, who mix the pure gin with neutral spirits and some flavoring material, and that product is put on the market as gin. They also discovered that three-fourths of the straight whiskey made in this country is sold to blenders, who use it in connection with spirits and flavoring and coloring matter to make their products.

As a consequence of the investigation it is quite probable Secretary Wilson will not recede from his decision, that the so-called "blended whiskies," artifically colored and flavored, were "spurious imitations of whiskey and that "the mixture of such an imitation with a genuine article cannot be regarded as a mixture of like substances within the letter and intent of the law.

McHenry Whiskey is pure and is sold only in bottles so that blenders cannot use it to mix with impure ingredients.

A fine new line of Wedding invitations just received at this office. 3t.

OSCAR ALEXANDER PARALIZED.

Oscar Alexander, of the well known firm of Alexander Bros. & Co., had a paralytic stroke on Saturday morning at his home on West street. He had just arisen from bed. His right arm and his tongue were affected. He was able to make his way back to bed, and is still confined to the house.

To Break In New Shoes Always Use

Allen's Foot-Ease, a Powder. It prevents tightness and Blistering, cures Swollen, Sweating, Aching feet. At all Druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address, A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. 1-10-4t.

New Stationery Store.

Paul Z. Harman will open a stationery store in the Sharpless store room, now occupied by G. W. Harder. He expects to be ready for business about March 1st.

H. W. CHAMPLIN, M. D.

EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT.

Particular attention to examining and treating children's eyes.

Exchange Building. Bloomsburg, Pa

A Big Scheme for Light and Power.

Application was made at Harrisburg for a charter for the Harwood Transmission Company, but for some reason Governor Pennypacker refused to sign the necessary papers, giving no reason for his action.

It is the intention of this company to manufacture electricity and furnish it for the purposes of light, heat and power in the counties of Luzerne, Columbia, Schuylkill Berks, Lehigh and Northumberland. The principal incorporator of the company is Calvin Pardee, Sr., of Philadelphia. The other stockholders are Alfred Pardee, Ario Pardee, Calvin Pardee, Jr., and A. W. Drake, general superintendent of the Lattimer and Harwood coal mines. The coal operators have conceived the idea of manufacturing electricity at the mines, where fuel is cheap, and then marketing the magic fluid to all the country for miles around. A big power plant is being erected at Harwood and lines of wires will reach from the mines to Reading, Allentown, Sunbury, Milton, Northumberland, Danville, Mauch Chunk, Pottsville, Shamokin, Bloomsburg and all the towns and hamlets where electricity can be used. The idea of the coal operators is that they can manufacture and develop electricity at such a trifling cost that they can undersell any one else in the market. The main article so essential in the production of electricity, coal, is there in abundance. The men in this enterprise propose to utilize the vast banks of culm and rice coal that have accumulated during the last half century for producing steam with which to run the electrical works. The projectors of the Harwood Transmission Company are confident that the cost of electricity, taking into account maintenance of poles and wires and interest on the investment, can be considerably reduced by locating the power plants at the mines, thus saving the freight on the coal—$1.75 per ton to Philadelphia and $1.80 to New York—and the cost of its handling in the manufacturing centres where it is used now in generating electricity. For the present the projectors of the company do not care to give out any figures as to the probable percentage of reduction in the cost under the method they have in view.

Railroad Mail Too High.

Congress Likely to Make a Cut of Ten Per Cent.

The Post Office Committee of the House will recommend a 10 per cent. cut in the amount paid to railroads for carrying the mails. Railway mail pay and subsidies now amount to $43,000,000 annually, and the proposed cut will mean a saving of about $4 500,000 a year. The committee in an informal vote, stood 12 to 6 in favor of the reduction.

Seccond Assistant Postmaster General Shallenberger was before the committee last week and propounded two startling propositions Heretofore he has maintained that the money paid to railways for carrying the mails is fair. He surprised the committee, therefore, by declaring that he favored a cut of 6 per cent. The committee went him 4 per cent. better.

Shallenberger's second surprise came when he said that there is no such tremendous loss to the department as has been claimed in the transportation of second-class mail matter. Up to this time the department has maintained that the ratio of loss was between 8 and 9 to 1. In the fiscal year the receipts from second-class matter were $3,000,000 and the cost of transportation was estimated at $27,000,000. Mr. Shallenberger now says there is no such tremendous difference as this. He now believes that second-class matter pays its own way. This will probably explode the movement to have the charge for carrying second class mail matter increased.

I Give Honor to Whom It is Due.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., cured me of Bright's disease and Gravel. Four of the best physicians had failed to relieve me. I have recommended it to scores of people with like success, and know it will cure all who try it.—Mrs. E. P. Mizner, Burg Hill, O. Price $1.00, all druggists; 6 bottles $5.00.

I. K. Miller has bought the property on the corner of Main street and Murray's Alley, now occupied by Miss Cox as a millinery store. He purchased from Miss Eva Rupert and Mrs. Sarah Steck, and will make improvements in the building.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of The Kind You Have Always Bought

Chas. H. Fletcher

BIRDS INSIST SPRING IS HERE.

A Tamaqua correspondent of the Philadelphia *Record* says:

Farmers are neither romancers nor prevaricators. When they speak their words are heavy-laden with truth. Such being the condition, general credence is given the stories that are being told by the worthy grangers of the West Penn and the Lehigh and Mahononing Valleys regarding the phenomena of a spring-like winter.

Blue birds have been seen by fully a score of farmers, while almost every granger who has stirred from his house has seen robins. One worthy yeoman, who is a deacon in a West Penn church asseverates that for the past five mornings he has been awakened by the piping of the robins. He also declares that the chorus of the crickets, blending with "me-rum" of the frogs in a swamp on his land, have lulled him to sleep for three weeks past. On one farm in Mahononing the cherry trees are in blossom and birds are mating and building their nests The sloping fields of this beautiful countryside are blanketed with green and flecked with the golden dandelion flowers. Gazing upon this vernal scene, it is only natural that the hens in the barnyard should forthwith refuse to lay, take to a nest and clamor for eggs to hatch out. One farmer says that out of a flock of 25 hens 21 are "hatchy." This farmer is not a deacon in a church, but he does teach a Sunday school class.

But it is from the Lehigh Valley that the most amazing story comes. There the horses and cattle are shedding their winter coats, the leaves are coming out on the apple as well as the cherry trees and in the woods trailing arbutus is raising its head timidly above the dead leaves.

On a farm close to the Schuylkill line a granger and two of his helpers tell of a terrific battle they saw on Thursday last between a bull-finch and a snake. The tillers of the soil say on their honor that the bull-finch was protecting a nest in which there were two eggs. The snake, they say, was extremely lively, showing that he had been out of his winter quarters a sufficient time to allow his sluggishness to wear off. The bull-finch picked the snake to death.

MAKE A NOTE NOW to get Ely's Cream Balm if you are troubled with nasal catarrh, hay fever or cold in the head. It is purifying and soothing to the sensitive membranes that line the air passages. It is made to cure the disease, not to fool the patient by a short, deceptive relief. There is no cocaine nor mercury in it. Do dot be talked into taking a substitute for Ely's Cream Balm. All druggists sell it. Price 50c. Mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

CHARTER NOTICE.

IN THE COMMON PLEAS COURT OF COLUMBIA COUNTY:

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made by the ST. PETER'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH of ARISTE, PENNSYLVANIA, to the Court of Common Pleas of county aforesaid, on the 11th day of February, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M. under the provisions of the Act of Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and its supplements, for the approval and allowance of certain amendments to the charter of said corporation as set forth in the petition therefor filed in said Court.

CHRISTIAN A. SMALL, Solicitor.

1-7-4t

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County and will be presented to the said Court on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1907, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter will be confirmed absolute.

The 3rd bi-annual account of Joseph A. Karns Committee of Jacob Kline, a lunatic of Fishing Creek Township.

The 3rd account of Herman T. Young, Committee of Lavina DeWitt, a weak minded person of Catawissa Boro.

The 3rd account of Herman T. Young, Committee of William Baumiester, a weak minded person of Catawissa Boro.

C. M. TERWILLIGER, Prothy.
Prothy's Office, Bloomsburg, Pa Jan. 14, 1907.

WIDOWS' APPRAISEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the following Widows' Appraisements will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, on Monday, February 4th, A. D. 1907, by the Clerk of said Court and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed to same within four days they will be confirmed finally.

Estate of John Elliott, late of Roaringcreek township, deceased, personalty $300.00

Estate of Thomas J. Sullivan, late of Montour township, deceased, personalty $300.00.

C. M. TERWILLIGER, Clerk O. C.
Clerk's Office, Bloomsburg, Pa.; Jan. 14, 1907.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph Kalwich, late of the Borough of Centralia, Deceased.

In the estate of Joseph Kalwich, deceased, Letters have been duly granted by the Register of Wills upon the estate of Joseph Kalwich, late of the Borough of Centralia, County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, deceased to Elizabeth Kalwich, residing in the Borough of Centralia, Columbia County, State of Pennsylvania to whom all persons who are indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and all persons having any legal claim against or demand upon said estate, shall make the same known without delay.

ELIZABETH KALWICH, Administratrix.

Edward J. Flynn, Attorney.
Centralia, Pa., Jan. 14, 1907. 1-17-6t.

ELECTION NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the members of the Columbia County Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechanical Association will be held in the Court House in Bloomsburg on Satuaday, January 19th, 1907, at 2 o'clock P. M. for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

A. N. YOST, Secretary.

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For 1907 the publishers of the Cosmopolitan announce contributions from such famous authors as G. Bernard Shaw, Jack London, W. W. Jacobs, Edwin Markham, Joseph Conrad, H. G. Wells, Anthony Hope, Alfred Henry Lewis, Booth Tarkington, David Graham Phillips, Ella Wheeler Wilcox, etc.

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WORLD NEWS OF THE WEEK

Covering Minor Happenings from all over the Globe.

HOME AND FOREIGN.

Compiled and Condensed for the Busy Reader—A Complete Record of European Despatches and Important Events from Everywhere Boiled Down for Hasty Perusal.

President Vreeland of the New York City Railway Company announced that the company is to do away with the horse cars which for years have been traversing the streets of New York.

Secretary of State Root, speaking at Exporters' Convention, declared that a change in the tariff is bound to come.

Frederick C. Fairbanks, son of the Vice President, was indicted for perjury in making false statements to procure license to wed Miss Scott of Pittsburg, Pa.

Mrs. L. V. Knight, a young society woman, who is said to be a niece of two prominent Atlanta, Ga., church dignitaries, was arrested at Ashville, N. C., on a charge of stealing a bride's gowns.

It was reported that Alexander E. Orr would retire from the presidency of the New York Life, to be succeeded by Darwin P. Kingsley, now vice president.

In place of a direct income tax, a special State Tax Commission recommended to the New York Legislature a habitation tax based on rentals.

Assessments amounting to $14,000,000 upon personal property in New York were announed against the estate an heirs of William C. Whitney.

Wealthy members of the Automobile Club of America took oaths as policemen to help stop speed law violations.

American editors visiting Havana declared in favor of the protectorate idea.

Political leaders were troubled by Governor Hughes' announcement that he would make "no deals with politicians."

Monopolies make the government pay high prices or naval supplies.

A plan to divert Hebrew immigration from New York and other Eastern cities to Texas was suggested by Dr. Cyrus L. Sulzberger.

In a report to Secretary Taft Lieutenant Colonel Thomas W. Symonds, consulting engineer, says that outstanding contracts for canals in New York State amount to $34,814,396.

Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, denounced President Roosevelt for preaching racial equality.

A motion was made in a hearing before Judge Fitts to have Attorney General Jackson held in contempt for his action in the New York City Mayoralty recount case.

President Roosevelt asked Congress to take steps to close the break in the Colorado River and save the Imperial Valley in California from destruction.

Threats and abuse mark the discussion by Cuban liberal party organs of the suggestion of an American protectorate for the island.

Members of the House Judiciary committee will call Representative Littlefield to account for his remarks alleging lack of courage in reporting on labor legislation.

Prince Jaisingrao, son of the Gaekwar of Baroda, is a student in Horace Mann School, New York city.

Hudson Maxim, of New York, has concluded experiments which, he believes, will double the range of torpedoes and revolutionize warfare.

Upton Sinclair declared President Roosevelt, E. H. Harriman and Andrew Carnegie are the best socialist.

It is likely, shipping men said, that the owners of the Ponce will have to pay about $200,000 to the German ship which saved her.

At a meeting of aeornauts, plans will be perfected for the international cup balloon races.

Agitation was begun to cause passage of a national law compelling owners of scows, barges and dredges to provide rails and thus safeguard the lives of the crews.

"Miss Maillard," of New York, who said she had been bound and robbed, was arrested as a thief and confessed, the police allege, that she was an impostor.

Columbia College professor and his associate have invented an incandescent lamp which, it is believed, will revolutionize electric lighting.

President Roosevelt sent to the Senate a message defending his course in the Brownsville affair and declaring his order discharging negro soldiers could not be reviewed or reversed except by another executive order.

It was asserted in Albany, N. Y., that the corporations of the State were planning a strong fight against the new Public Utilites Board proposed by the Governor.

More than two thousand wealthy residents of New York city were caught in the tax net they had so successfully dodged for years by means of nominal residences outside the State.

District Attorney Jerome arrived in Albany, N. Y., to begin his crusade against race track gambling.

The Senate passed the La Follette bill forbidding railroads to work employes more than sixteen consecutive hours in twenty-four.

The Interstate Commerce Commission investigation of the Harriman lines closed its session at Chicago, will go to Seattle and will not meet in New York in several weeks.

Representatives Gaines and Mahon were prevented from coming to blows in a quarrl in the House and finally shook hands and made up.

An income tax for New York State was framed by the Special Tax Commission and will be presented to the Legislature.

Stockholders of the Pennsylvania Railroad were called upon to vote on March 13 for $100,000,000 additional capital stock and a bond issue of a like amount.

With deposits of $70,000,000 the Trust Company of America has absorbed the Colonial Trust Company.

Announcement was made in Washington that President Roosevelt will send another message to the Senate, with more evidence in the Brownsville case.

While the New York City Railway Company collected 11,709,000 more cash fares in the first nine months of 1906 than in the same part of 1905, it reduced its service by 529,000 car miles.

Before the Interstate Commerce Commission E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe, testified that an attempt had been made by the Union Pacific to obtain control of his road.

Village of Montreal, N. C., was transferred by John C. Huyler to the Presbyterian Synod.

Governor Pardee said California will deal with the Japanese school children question as it deems best and that Mr. Roosevelt does not understand the situation.

Edwin Gould capitulated to the Heinze-Morse Thomas interests and got out of the Mercantile National Bank.

In his first skirmish over the ballots Attorney General Jackson obtained possession of some of the boxes.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Comte Henry de La Vaulx made a very succcessful trip in his new steerable balloon near Sartrouville, according to a despatch from Paris.

German ship owners, according to a despatch from Berlin, say the White Star line's agreement with the ship trust prevents its using Southampton and Cherbourg.

The deficit in the Russian budget will be entirely covered from internal sources and there will be no new foreign loan.

The French Episcopate met in worship,support of the cergy and the religious schools, as affected by the law of separation.

Servia's Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Pasics, refutes widespread reports that the country is profoundly disturbed by anti-dynastic conspiracies.

A reception for the Diplomatic Corps in Teheran was held by the Shah, Mohammed Ali, according to a despatch from the Persian capital.

President Castro's illness prevents Venezuela from taking part in the Jamestown exhibition says, a despatch from Caracas.

A despatch from Lisbon says that the Crown Prince suffered painful injuries in a riding accident, but that all fears of serious results have been set at rest..

Pius X. told students of the American College in Rome that the Church war in France was one between the clergy and hell.

Stocks were irregular in London during the week, owing to the monetary outlook, says a despatch.

According to a Paris despatch prices on the Bourse at the end of the week showed some depression, due to pessimistic comments regarding the budget.

A tremendous struggle for passenger traffic to the Continent is expected, says a despatch from London, as a result of the White Star line's removal to Southampton.

English tennis is looking up, says a despatch from London chronicling the appointment of George Hillyard as secretary of the All-England Club.

Bad telephone management in Paris has started a lively war, says a despatch, and a Paris newspaper has begun an active campaign.

Speaking for the doctrine of good eating, Professor Halliburton, according to a despatch from London, has something to say against vegetarianism.

That theatrical managers cannot refuse free tickets to journalists was the curious decision rendered by a French Court, according to a despatch from Paris.

Colonel Patko Andrieff, chief of gendarmes at Lodz, was assassinated, his slayer escaping.

Military experts examined Comte Henry de La Vaulx's balloon and expressed their approval, says a despatch from Paris.

Japan has decided not to send its naval training squadron to the Pacific coast, on account of the hostile feeling in California.

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Japan's budget provides large sums for the navy and army. The latter is to be enlarged by our full divisions.

The British battleship Dreadnought is about to cross the Atlantic and will be in West Indian waters at the same time as Admiral Evans' squadron.

The movement of Egyptian nationalists against the British protectorate inspires the Paris Temps to give them advice, which is just as applicable to the Cubans, says a despatch.

SPORTING NEWS.

William Hastings has been ruled off the turf by the Crescent City Jockey Club stewards for using drugs upon race horses.

Jacob Schaefer has challenged George Sutton for the world's 18.1 balkline billiard championship.

Women will compete for the championship singles in the national indoor tennis tournament to be held in February.

The Aero Club of Great Britain has decided to send a challenge for theCoupe International at St. Louis in October.

E. C. Benedict has been re-elected commodore of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht Club for 1907.

EARTHQUAKE IN JAMAICA.

Heavy Loss of Life and Property in Capital City.

Holland Bay, Jamaica, Jan. 17.—An earthquake shock of several mintes duration, followed by several lesser shocks in quick succession, shook Kingston violently at 4.30 o'clock last Monday afternoon. A conservative estimate has it that one-sixteenth of the city was destroyed by the shocks and the fire that followed immediately, and that thirty people were killed and about 300 injured.

With the first shock many structures in the poorer part of the city went down, and fire started along the wharves where the wreckage of the freight sheds offered immediate fuel. The clogging of the streets with debris and the great confusion following the shocks paralyzed the fire department for a time and the flames along the waterfront had gained considerable headway before it could bring to bear any effective work.

Immediately after the first severe shock the people rushed into the streets. Succeeding shocks toppled over weakened walls on many of them. Rescue work began at once. The General Hospital was not destroyed by the quake. Thither carts and stretchers bore the wounded as fast as they were rescued from the wreckage.

The shock destroyed the Myrtle Bank Hotel. The British military station was destroyed and the camp hospital for invalided soldiers was likewise wrecked entirely.

Sir James Fergusson is the only foreigner reported killed. No other foreigners are missing.

Killed by Slot Gas Meter.

Stamford Conn., Jan. 15—Frank Hall, fifteen years old, of New York, who is believed to be a runaway from home, had been stopping at a boarding-house here for some days. He fell asleep in his room last night with the gas jet burning.

The gas is supplied by a "quarter-in-the-slot" meter. The quarter's worth of gas was used up, and the lights in the house went out. Another boarder put a quarter in the slot and the gas flowed again. Hall, asleep, was asphyxiated.

Thief's Clever Trick.

Vienna, Jan. 16.—A young man who had stolen valuable rings in Lemberg, Austria, Poland, meeting a policeman, had the pursuing dealer arrested as a lunatic, and escaped while the angry merchant was sent to the insane hospital for examination.

U. S. Richer Than England.

London, Jan. 17.—In showing that the wealth of Great Britain is increasing at the rate of $7,000,000 weekly, while that of the United States is increasing at the rate of $10,000,000 daily, the Express declares that the British must cast off a worn out commercial system.

Americans Buy Tin Mines.

London, Jan. 16.—The great tin centers of Cornwall are agitated over a report that an American syndicate, it is said, has been in Penzance for some weeks past negotiating with mine owners. The report, however, has not been confirmed.

Philippino-Jap Co. Formed.

London, Jan. 17.—It is announced that a Philippino-Japanese Company has just been formed in Tokio for the purpose of strengthening friendly relations and the development of trade between Japan and the Philippines.

Hawaiian Volcano in Eruption.

Honolulu, Jan. 17.—The volcano of Mauna Loa is pouring out lava in a great flood, which is floing down the west side of the mountain in three streams, at the rate of seven miles an hour.

Booker T. For Roosevelt.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 17.—Booker T. Washington, in a letter printed here, defends Roosevelt in his action regarding the Brownsville affair.

No Cash; No Bride.

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Because M. Threston Darkell, of Paris, expected a dower with his bride, Miss Louise McVey, of thiscity, she broke off the engagement.

WOMEN AS DESIGNERS

FOUR THOUSAND OF THEM EARNING GOOD LIVINGS.

They Make Designs for Everything From Silks to Houses—Do Well in Competition with Men—Experiences of Some.

When a woman founded the School of Applied Design for Women in 1892, it was a work of faith on her part, says the New York Times. Ever since the world began to talk about women at all one thing that was always insisted on was that they had not the inventive or creative faculty.

To-day there are women regularly employed to design silks, rugs or other goods which are extensively advertised as imported wares. The goods are imported, for they are made in foreign countries, where they can be made better and cheaper than in America; but they are made from designs by New York women.

One graduate of the school works for a Turkish firm in New York. She is constantly designing patterns and color schemes which are suited to the New York market. These are sent to the Orient and made up into Turkish and other Eastern rugs.

The same is true of French and Japanese silks and various other goods. The American designers may not excel the foreign ones, but they understand better what Americans want.

Four thousand former pupils of this school are now earning a living in designing. They are scattered all over the country, but the majority are in and around New York. Most of them are employes of manufacturing firms at salaries ranging from $10 to $25 a week, few receiving less than $15.

A firm which makes very fashionable tailored garments sends out on each one a label with a special design woven in. Two girls get $15 a week for designing these labels.

Everything connected with feminine fashions offers an abundance of well paid work. All fashion magazines employ designers for their plates.

Designing for trade catalogues offers an almost inexhaustible field. Girls under twenty make $20 and $25 a week at this. An independent worker makes a good income by designs for shirt waist fronts, allover lace and embroidered dress patterns.

The slowest of all offices to open to these women have those of the architects, for here they encounter the only disability attendant upon their sex. It is customary for the architect who desingns a building to superintend its erection, and this is difficult for women. There are, however, about fifty women mechanical draughtsmen in architects' offices in New York.

One of them recently designed a court house for a Long Island town. Her employer will superintend the erection of the building, but the design was really accepted as she submitted it.

As to the differences between the work of men and women in this line the management of the school has noted only two. Women excel in color rather than drawing and are more interested in beautiful color schemes than in the line work. Women are inferior to men in free hand printing, a qualification so desirable that a woman possessing it is nearly always sure of employment.

As for pay, special orders given out to independent workers have a fixed price, whether a man or woman executes them. Among regular employes women generally receive less than men, but not always.

Nearly all these women have some one dependent upon them. Some are supporting parents or invalid relatives, some educating younger brothers or sisters. Many of them were poor girls who supported themselves while taking their course.

Girls have fought their way through the school by typewriting, sewing, or keeping books at night to get money to live on.

Rusty Clothes Boiler.

Make a bag of two yards of heavy unbleached cotton cloth, the size of your boiler and big enough to fold over the top. Put this into the boiler you wish to boil clothes in. Then put in the clothes to be boiled with the water and powder or soap. The edges of the bag may be turned over the top of the boiler, and will not interfere in any way with the boiling and punching down of the clothes, but will keep them perfectly clean and free from rust stains, thus allowing one to use an old boiler much longer. After using rinse, dry and put bag away till next time.

To Bleach Yellowed White Silk.

When either white silk fabric or embroidery has become yellow from careless washing it may be bleached in the following manner: Dissolve two ounces each of salt and oxalic acid in six quarts of cold water. Soak the silk in this until the yellowed tinge disappears. This will take about an hour in ordinary cases. Immediately rinse in several clear waters to remove every trace of the acid.

To Remove Spots from China.

Discolored china baking dishes can be made as clean as when new by rubbing them with whiting. Grease marks on the pages of books may be removed by sponging them with benzine, placing between two sheets of blotting paper and pressing with a hot iron.

FILIPINO'S PROGRESS.

Many Improvements Under American Occupation.

When I went to the Philippines in 1900, says ex-Governor Henry G. Ide in the New York Tribune, the islands were in a state of chaos. War was being waged, government there was none, and law and order were unknown quantities. Now human life and property are as safe throughout the archipelago, with the exception of certain districts of Samar and Leyte, as they are within the boundaries of the United States. The terrors of brigandage which are felt in Samar and Leyte are not new. These Pulijanes preyed upon the natives for generations before the arrival of the Americans, and will probably continue to do so until they are exterminated. They do not molest foreigners, as a rule, but choose the safer victims they find among the poor people of the native rural districts.

Practically all branches of the Philippine government are now under the Civil Service. All appointments, except the very highest, are made from lists of eligible persons who have passed a satisfactory examination for the places, and promotions within the service are made upon the same basis. It is a fact that politics has less to do with appointment or promotion in office in the Philippines than here in the United States. The officials have found Civil Service methods an excellent protection for themselves, and would not under any consideration have the order of things changed to the spoils system.

The educational system established by the United States is first class. There are trade schools established by the government, as well as schools for the teaching of English and the ordinary branches of learning, and many of the municipalities have grade schools of their own which would compare favorably with similar institutions in the states. All told, there are between four hundred thousand and five hundred thousand pupils regularly attending school in the Philippines, and every one of them is learning the English language. The government has sent eight hundred teachers from this country to the Philippines to instruct Filipino teachers in the English language.

In the line of public improvements the government has spent a

Ex-Gov. Henry G. Ide.

tremendous amount of money, and will continue to spend it. About $4,000,000 has been spent upon the harbor at Manila to make it safe for the largest oceangoing vessels, and larger sums are being spent upon the harbors of Iloilo and Cebu. Many miles of fine roads have been constructed, and bridges have been thrown across many of the rivers to make the highways between the principal towns of value at all seasons of the year.

One of the most important matters taken up by the government was the investigation of tropical diseases which is now being carried on in the laboratory established at Manila. At this laboratory smallpox vaccine and various serums for the cure and prevention of diseases in man and beast are prepared. A serum preparation for the prevention of rinderpest, which threatened to exterminate the cattle of the islands, has proved wonderfully successful and the disease has been practically stamped out. When it appears, here and there at infrequent intervals, a force from the laboratory proceeds to the herds infected and puts an end to the epidemic. By this means many millions of dollars' worth of valuable animals have been saved, and one of the most serious menaces to the prosprity of the islands has been removed. Smallpox was prevalent before the American occupation, but since vaccination has been carried on to an extensive degree throughout the centers of population, the disease has disappeared in its epidemic form.

Women Total Abstainers.

An English paper states that fifty young unmarried women, belonging to a Roman Catholic Church in Bermondsey, have vowed to be total abstainers for life, as an act of self-denial and reparation for the prevalence of the drinking habit among their sex at the present time.

Cultivating Sponges.

Several sponge farms, all of which which are paying concerns, are to be found in the Mediterranean. Until recently sponges have been simply collected from the sea floor, where they have flourished in a wild state, but of late years they have, like oysters, been cultivated.

STANDARD OIL INDICTED

939 Bills Charge Rockafeller and Others With Being a Trust.

CHARGES COVER YEARS

May Have to Pay Sixty Million Dollar Fine—Presentments by Grand Jury of Hancock, Ohio, and Trials Will Take Months—Early Trials Expected.

Findlay, O., Jan. 17.—The Grand Jury of Hancock County brought in 939 separate indictments against the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the Ohio Oil Company, the Buckeye Pipe Line Company, the Manhattan Oil Company, the Solar Refining Company, and the Standard Oil Company of Ohio.

John D. Rockefeller, Henry H. Rogers, William Rockefeller, John D. Archbold, Wesley H. Tilford, Frank Q. Barstow and F. D. Cuthbert. They are charged with being members of a trust, a combination of capital, skill and acts to increase and reduce the price of a commodity to wit: Petroleum, its products, to prevent competition, in manufacturing, making, transporting, sale and purchase of the commodity in Hancock County.

The cases are far-reaching in their effect if successful. They cover an offense for each day for the last thirty years and involve fines and costs which will bring to Hancock County more than $60,000,000 if the members of the alleged octopus be found guilty. They cover the offenses from January 15, 1904, to January 15, 1907. There are 525 words in each indictment, the total number of words being 425,975.

Each case will be docketed separately and the county clerk and Sheriff's office will be swamped for some months to come.

Sheriff Groves and his deputies will begin immediately to serve a copy of the indictment on each of the defendants.

Rear Admiral Sigsbee to Retire.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—It was announced at the Navy Department that Rear Admiral Charles D. Sigsbee, who was captain of the battleship Maine, when that vessel was blown up and destroyed with great loss of life in the harbor of Havana, on February 15, 1898, will be placed on the retired list of the Navy.

Storers to Leave United States.

Cincinnati, Jan. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Bellamy Storer, it is reported, are preparing to live permanently in Versailles, France. Both ofMrs. Storers houses in this city have been leased and the most valuable household effects shipped.

FINANCIAL.

It is expected that the Chicago and Northwestern Railway will make a $50,000,000 stock offering to its shareholders.

Announcement as made by the Chicago and Northwestern of a new stock offering aggregating $24,500,000.

Statements by Atchison officials cast a new light on the formation of the Northwestern Pacific Railroad. road.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wholesale Prices of Farm Produce Quoted for the Week.

The Milk Exchange price for standard quality is 3¾c. per qt.

Butter.			
Creamery, extra	32½	@	33
Firsts,	29	@	31½
State dairy, fancy	29	@	30
Cheese.			
Fancy	13½	@	14¼
Small	13¾	@	14¼
Part Skims	7½	@	8¼
Eggs.			
State and Penn.	37	@	38
Western—Firsts	27	@	28
Live Poultry.			
Chickens, per lb			12
Fowls, per lb			13
Dressed Poultry.			
Turkeys, per lb	11	@	22
Fowls, per lb	8	@	13½
Chickens, Phila. lb	18	@	25
Fowls, per lb	6	@	14
Ducklings, per lb	8	@	16
Fruits—Fresh.			
Apples—Greenings per bbl	$1 50	@	$3 00
King, per bbl	2 00	@	3 25
Ben Davis per bbl	1 50	@	2 50
Vegetables.			
Potatoes, L. I., bbl	$1 50	@	$1 75
Cabbages, per 100	2 50	@	4 50
Onions, white, bbl	2 00	@	5 00
Carrots, per bbl	1 25	@	1 75
Turnips, per bbl	65	@	80
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, prime, cwt	$1 10	@	$1 15
No. 1, per cwt	1 00	@	1 05
No. 2, per cwt	95	@	1 00
Clover, mixed, cwt.	75	@	1 00
Straw, long rye	60	@	65
Grain, Etc.			
Flour, Win. pats.	$3 60	@	$3 75
Spring pats	4 20	@	5 00
Wheat, No. 1			90½
No. 2, red			81
Oats, mixed	39		
Clipped white.	40	@	44
Live Stock.			
Beeves, city drs'd	6½	@	9
Calves, city drs'd.	8	@	14
Country, drs'd.	7	@	12
Sheep, per cwt.	$3 00	@	$5 50

VALUE OF CLIPPINGS

One Million Dollar Concern Built Up On Them.

HOW WORKERS ARE PAID

Volumes of History Have Been Constructed, Many Trades Helped, Cranks Fed on Slips Cut From Newspapers by Girls With Memories of a Queer Turn.

Ninety newspapers a day is the task of the girls who read for one of the oldest clipping press bureaus in New York, says the New York Press, and they read every item in each paper, including the advertising. Moreover as they read they carry the names, wants and wishes of 3,000 subscribers in their minds and underscore the salient word in every item which should go to a customer.

This bureau has certain rules in hiring its readers. It takes no elderly person, no person who says she is fond of reading or has made scrapbooks all her life, and no school teacher. It want no literary tastes at its reading desks, and not too much education.

It wants persons who will read mechanically, with lightning speed and with no interest in what they read aside from the word they are looking for. After trying all sorts of people, the type found most satisfactory is the girl who has left school at 14 to go to work in a factory or dry goods store. In either of those places she would get from $3 to $8 a week. In the clipping bureau she may run her wages up to $20 a week, as the star reader of this bureau has done, and average $12 or $15 a week, as most of them do.

All of them work by the piece, receiving so much for every clipping marked. Sometimes they are a little too mechanical, as when the patron who subscribes for everything concerning banks gets choice items concerning sand banks, but it is better to have them that way than to have them getting interested in what they read and lingering over their desks.

Sometimes authors subscribe for clippings on subjects which they intend to write upon. One author has for two or three years been collecting all clippings which describe the heroism of girls, as shown in reports of fires, accidents and the like. Then there are the obviously crank collectors.

One man has for years collected everything printed on vegetarianism. His bill this summer has been pretty heavy. Another man pays for all items relating to any rascality discovered among spiritualists, or among priests and ministers of the gospel. Periodically he publishes a deadly parallel in a spiritualist paper, obviously to the discredit of the church people, as there are many more of them than of his own cult.

Another man has collected for years everything published on Lincoln, and another everything published against vaccination.

The American Medical association collects statistics relating to injury and loss of life at Fourth of July celebrations. The principal of a school in New England buys all items concerning persons who have made donations to schools and academies in New England, with the obvious purpose of affording them an opportunity to extend their benevolence.

Interesting comparisons are supplied by the clipping bureau regarding the articles printed in newspapers about the deaths of prominent men. No other man in America ever had so much printed about his death in the newspapers as McKinley. Carl Schurz has received thus far 12,000 obituary notices, more than any other man since McKinley. John Hay and Joseph Jefferson had 10,000 each, and Mark Hanna, 8,000.

The first clipping bureau in the world was started in Paris in 1879 by a Frenchman named Cheri. There are now forty clipping bureaus in the United States, of which ten are in this city. There are clipping bureaus in every country and every language on earth sufficiently advanced to have a newspaper.

General Joe Wheeler ordered a complete newspaper history of the Spanish war in twelve great volumes. A New York firm presented to every regiment that went out of New York to that war a scrapbook history of the action of the regiment, and the books are now preserved in the various armories. Forty-two books of clippings were made of McKinley's obituaries. One man ordered twelve sets to present to twelve different persons.

The first scrap book to attract public attention was the enormous volume ordered for presentation to Admiral Dewey on his return from the Phillippines. Including its table it cost $3,100 and is the most valuable scrapbook ever made. It is now in the Smithsonian Institute.

"The only objection I have to this story," said the cynical bachelor, "is the frequent use of the phrase 'a certain girl.' The phrase is grosaly inaccurate, as everybody well knows that all girls are exceedingly uncertain."—Chicago News.

Don't make yourself common; the world only sits up and takes notice of the uncommon.

TO GUARD AGAINST MOTHS.

Camphor and Naphthaline Useless. Disinfecting Chests Used.

The best-known method is to put camphor or naphthaline balls away with the garments, but this method is worse than useless if there be any of the larvae of the moths already in the fabrics. The camphor will then only add a characteristic odor to the garments, disagreeable to most people and positively poisonous to those with a weakness of throat and lungs, at the same time not interfering in any way with "the feast of reason and flow of soul" enjoyed by the little pests in the best apparel of the family with which they board.

All furs and woollen garments should be hung on a line in the open air in the bright sunshine. This airing process should continue over several days, especially during the latter part of May and the first week of June, at which time the eggs are laid by the female moths. Where it is impossible to hang such large pieces as carpets out of doors the carpet should be sponged with benzine, care being taken that no artificial light predisposes to accident. A yearly benzine bath, especially over surfaces usually covered by furniture, will not hurt any carpet, and is a wise precaution, even where the presence of moths is not suspected.

Disinfecting chests for the protection against moths of valuable rugs may be made at slight expense. Buy an ordinary wooden chest and have made for it a support that will exactly fit inside, opened at intervals. Under this shelf place a shallow pan, into which a liquid solution of carbon bisulphide has been poured. Lay the rugs loosely on top of the support and tightly close the chest, leaving them untouched for forty-eight hours. After this disinfection the rugs may be safely packed away, all animal life in them having been effectually destroyed.

Where garments are put away in boxes or paper bags the openings should be carefuly sealed by pasting a slip of paper over them. If there are no moths or eggs already in them they will be safe, and without the necessity for any additional camphor or naphtha balls.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Stunning Linen Suit.

This is a linen season and the models shown in large shops and by leading modistes are most elaborate. One deserving special mention is light blue, the skirt laid in small tucks over the hips and trimmed with inset medallions of linen, beautifully embroidered in white just at knee depth. The chic eton jacket is the piece de resistance, however,

and has a shaped embroidered collar and revers, which outline the little vest of linen. Embroidered bands are on each side of a cluster of tucks which run from shoulder to bust line. Sleeves of elbow length are finished with a wide cuff, tucked and embroidered to match the jacket. A pale blue batiste and deep belt of kid to match accompanies the costume.

The Edge of the Skirt.

For skirts which flute out at the hem, and so are apt rather to sweep than touch the ground, it will be found a good plan to use cheap satin ribbon. This should be about two inches wide, and should be slightly gathered round the inside hem of the skirt like a narrow dust ruffle. The edge of the ribbon should just appear below the hem of the skirt. In this way the skirt is well protected. Where the hem of the skirt has already worn into tiny holes nothing is better to use than bias velvet. This can be sewn along the front of the hem just above the worn edge, and then faced over and run along the inner side.

To Clean Gloves.

Put the gloves on. Put gasoline in a saucer. Then wash in the gasoline as if washing your hands. Takt a flannel rag and rub the gloves Let them dry on your hands, but do not go near a fire or flame, as the gasoline may ignite. When the gloves are quite dry, take them off and sun them. This method of procedure is for kid gloves.

If the gloves are stained dip the stained part in melted tallow of any kind. Then lay warm pipe-clay on that and press it for a time. You may have to repeat this before the stain comes out.

The Story of a Medicine.

Its name—"Golden Medical Discovery" was suggested by one of its most important and valuable ingredients — Golden Seal root.

Nearly forty years ago, Dr. Pierce discovered that he could, by the use of pure, triple-refined glycerine, aided by a certain degree of constantly maintained heat and with the aid of apparatus and appliances designed for that purpose, extract from our most valuable native medicinal roots their curative properties much better than by the use of alcohol, so generally employed. So the now world-famed "Golden Medical Discovery," for the cure of weak stomach, indigestion, or dyspepsia, torpid liver, or biliousness and kindred derangements was first made, as it ever since has been, without a particle of alcohol in its make-up.

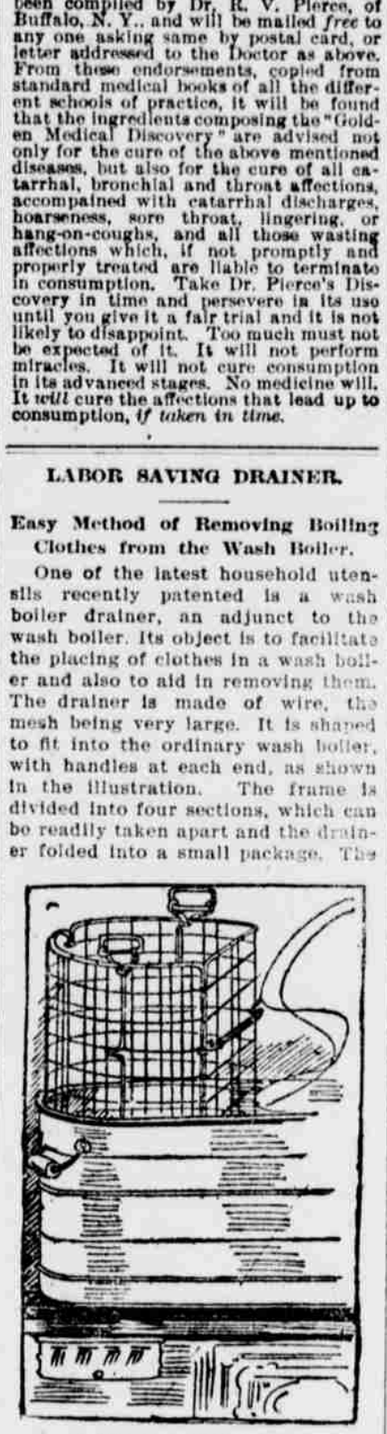
A glance at the full list of its ingredients, printed on every bottle-wrapper, will show that it is made from the most valuable medicinal roots found growing in our American forests. All these ingredients have received the strongest endorsement from the leading medical experts, teachers and writers on *Materia Medica* who recommend them as the very best remedies for the diseases for which "Golden Medical Discovery" is advised.

A little book of these endorsements has been compiled by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., and will be mailed *free* to any one asking same by postal card, or letter addressed to the Doctor as above. From these endorsements, copied from standard medical books of all the different schools of practice, it will be found that the ingredients composing the "Golden Medical Discovery" are advised not only for the cure of the above mentioned diseases, but also for the cure of all catarrhal, bronchial and throat affections, accompained with catarrhal discharges, hoarseness, sore throat, lingering, or hang-on-coughs, and all those wasting affections which, if not promptly and properly treated are liable to terminate in consumption. Take Dr. Pierce's Discovery in time and persevere in its use until you give it a fair trial and it is not likely to disappoint. Too much must not be expected of it. It will not perform miracles. It will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. It *will* cure the affections that lead up to consumption, *if taken in time.*

LABOR SAVING DRAINER.

Easy Method of Removing Boiling Clothes from the Wash Boiler.

One of the latest household utensils recently patented is a wash boiler drainer, an adjunct to the wash boiler. Its object is to facilitate the placing of clothes in a wash boiler and also to aid in removing them. The drainer is made of wire, the mesh being very large. It is shaped to fit into the ordinary wash boiler, with handles at each end, as shown in the illustration. The frame is divided into four sections, which can be readily taken apart and the drainer folded into a small package. The



Drains Boiling Clothes.

advantages of the drainer will be apparent at once. The clothes to be washed can be easily handled, being placed in or removed from the wash boiler with practically no trouble. A further advantage lies in the fact that the clothes can be raised out of the boiling water and allowed to drain before handling, thus avoiding danger of scalding the hands. Every housewife would undoubtedly welcome the introduction of this time-saver into the home.

HOME COOKERY.

Honey or Maple Drops.

Blend one-third cup strained honey, or rich maple syrup, one teaspoonful butter, one egg, well beaten, two-thirds cup of flour sifted with half a teaspoonful of baking powder and a pinch of salt. Drop by teaspoonfuls on a tin and bake in a quick oven. These proportions will make about twenty cakes. Icing may be of maple or fondant.

Salmon on Toast.

Use cold boiled salmon picked apart in small flakes. Heat one cup of white sauce or drawn butter, add to it one-half cup of cream, the flaked fish, one teaspoonful chopped parsley, a few grains of mace, with pepper and salt to taste. Pour over slices of buttered toast and serve at once.

Corn Muffins.

Two eggs, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one tablespoonful of melted butter, one cup of milk, three cups of flour two large tablespoonfuls of bolted cornmeal, two teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar, one teaspoonful of soda and a little salt. Bake in muffin pans twenty to thirty minutes. Very good. Make about fourteen.

Pilgrim Brown Bread.

Two cups of graham flour, one cup of sour milk, one teaspoonful soda, one-half cup raisins stoned, one cup chopped nuts, one-half cup New Orleans molasses, one teaspoonful salt. Figs may be used. Steam one and one-half hours, then bake ten minutes. You need not bake it or put in nuts, raisins, or figs. It is good enough without.

AMERICAN WOMAN'S VOICE.

Harshness Accredited to Hurry and Turmoil.

Her voice was ever soft,
Gentle and low; an excellent thing in woman.

Foreigners, however they may compliment American women, frequently comment that their voices are harsh. It is, no doubt, a well-merited criticism, since one must admit that few women possess such a voice as Shakespeare stated was excellent in women. The feverish desire of the woman of today to accomplish much and the hurry and turmoil in which we live have more to do with the quality of the voice than climatic condition. A little thought and self-repression, as well as an effort to speak slowly, would tend to better matters, and the habit of smiling will take the sharp tang out of the voice.

It takes more time to make one's self understood when speaking in a low voice than in a shrill one, but it is more restful to both speaker and listener. A gentle, well-moulded voice is an evidence of good breeding. Thomas Wentworth Higginson says: "Shut me up in a dark room with a mixed multitude and I can pick out the gentle folks by their voices." It is not difficult to change high-pitched, strident tones, and every woman should strive to possess a beautiful voice, for sweetness will linger in the voice long after it has died out in the eyes. A famous critic has said no woman can be really fascinating if she lack a pleasant tone.

Placing the voice, is of course, very important for a singer, and it is said a voice misplaced will not last, however fine it naturally may be. By taking singing exercises of a competent teacher men or women can correct a squeaky or thin voice and secure full, mellow tones of strength and power. In the compass of every voice there are three registers—the middle or thoat, the lower or chest, and the upper or head register. The use of the middle pitch for talking is very desirable, but the voice should be trained to slide up and down, varying with the emotions; low when the mood inclines toward seriousness, and higher when it becomes tinged with excitement. An interesting speaker constantly changes his pitch; not abruptly, but with ease and skill, and the greater range one has the more certain he is to get and retain the pleased attention of listeners.

Club life has made demands upon women for abilities in the way of reading papers aloud and participating in discussions, and if one can rise gracefully without blushing, deliver an address, concise, intelligent, and to the point, in a pleasing voice, she is the envy of her associates. Many women who write with pens sparkling with wit and epigram become mute and inglorious when they attempt to talk in public, simply because their voices fail them. It is a peculiar fact that women of the stage who should be immune to stage fright are often positively speechless when called on for a curtain speech.—The Pilgrim.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa., and to me directed, there will be sold at public sale at the court house, Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, FEB. 2nd, 1907.

at 9 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate:

TRACT NO. 1. A VALUABLE TRACT OF TIMBER. All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in the township of Jackson, county of Columbia, state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a white pine, thence by land of T. Viets and E. Meeker and others, south 68 degrees 30 minutes east 142 rods to a stone, thence by land of Wilson Kitchen south 22 degrees west 43 rods to a maple stump, thence by land of same south 70 degrees 30 minutes east 100 rods to a hemlock, thence by land formerly of J. H. Creveling south 50 degrees 30 minutes west 80 rods to a hemlock thence by same and land of J. Wilson Kile north 70 degrees 30 minutes west 161 4-10 rods to a stone, thence by land of Jackson Township School District north 33 degrees 45 minutes east 8 5-10 rods to a post, thence by same north 41 degrees 30 minutes east 13 rods to a post, thence by land of same north 46 degrees, 30 minutes west 12 5 10 rods, thence by same south 41 degrees 30 minutes west 5 rods to a post, thence by land of William Hess south 80 degrees 30 minutes west 22 rods and same in the public road, thence along same and in same north 64 degrees 15 minutes west 9 rods, thence along same and in same north 72 degrees west 11 rods, thence along land of Geo. Wagner and in public road north 7 degrees west 15 2-10 rods, thence along same and in same north 31 degrees west 10 rods, thence along same and in same north 72 degrees 30 minutes west 10 rods, thence along same and in same north 54 degrees 30 minutes west 5 7-10 rods, thence along land of Michael S. Remley and T. Veits north 19 degrees west 112 rods to place of beginning, containing

162 ACRES and 100 PERCHES

neat measure. It being a part of the tracts of land in the warrantee names of Pricilla McHenry and Edward McHenry, upon which is erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE

barn and sawmill with good water power. This property is well timbered except a few acres of farm land around the buildings.

TRACT No. 2—All that certain messuage, tenement and lot of land situate in the village of Rohrsburg, Greenwood township, Columbia county, Penn'a bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Bounded on the north by public road leading to Millville, on the east by land of Mrs. Vaughn, on the south by land of Jacob Rantz estate, and on the west by land of Hite, being fifty-nine feet in front on Millville road and ninety-nine feet in depth, whereon are erected a stable and shed.

Seized and taken into execution at the suits of Howard Stadon, Della Stadon and I. M. Betz vs. P. D Black, and to be sold as the property of P. D. Black.

CHAS. B. ENT, Sheriff.
Andrew L. Fritz, Grant Herring, Attorneys

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

Estate of George F. Watson, late of Madison Township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of George F. Watson, late of the township of Madison, county of Columbia, Pa., deceased, have been granted to Hattie V. Watson, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

HARMAN, Atty. HATTIE V. WATSON,
12-13 5t Executrix.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Estate of James Monaghan, late of the township of Conyngham, Col. Co., Pa., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of James Monaghan, late of Conyngham township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to M. J MONAGHAN,
Or to A fred B. Garner, Esq., Administrator,
Attorney, Ashland, Pa.
Ashland, Pa. 12-27 6t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Wm. Gingles, Deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed to make distribution of the balance in the hands of Frank Ikeler Esq., and Harvey Gingles, executors of the last will and testament of William Gingles, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania, deceased, as shown by their second account will sit to perform the duties of his appointment at the law offices of Hon. Fred T. Ikeler, in the said Town of Bloomsburg, aforesaid on Friday the 11th day of January 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. at and where all parties interested may appear, present their claims or be forever debarred from claiming anything out of said estate. CHRISTIAN A. SMALL,
12-27 3t Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jacob Moyer, Deceased.

The undersigned appointed an Auditor by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to pass up on exceptions to the account of T. J. Vanderslice, trustee, will sit at his office in First National Bank Building, Bloomsburg, Pa., on Friday, February 1st, 1907 at 10 o'clock a. m. to perform the duties of his appointment at which time all persons interested will appear and be heard.

FRANK IKELER,
1-10-4t. Auditor.

ELECTION NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the members of the Columbia County Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechanical Association will be held in the Court House in Bloomsburg on Saturday, January 19th, 1907, at two o'clock P. M. for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

A. N. YOST,
Secretary.
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JURORS FOR FEBRUARY TERM.

GRAND JURORS.

George C. Fenstermacher, moulder
George M. Vance, farmer, Mt. Pleasant.
Samuel Alstetter, farmer, Main.
Peter Eddinger, laborer, Main.
Fred Carl, farmer, Catawissa boro.
Martin R Rhawn, laborer, Bloom.
William McHenry, farmer, Stillwater.
Charles Harder, painter, Catawissa borough.
Freeman Harman, carpenter, Berwick.
P. W. Miller, laborer, Catawissa Boro.
Wellington Crossley, farmer, Hemlock.
Evan H. Kreamer, farmer, Madison.
Swayze Black, laborer, Greenwood.
George Kline, laborer, Bloom.
B. F. Bodine, merchant, Locust.
Steward M. Girton, farmer, Hemlock.
Wesley Shaffer, farmer, Briarcreek.
W. E. Kocher, laborer, Sugarloaf.
H. H. Martz, piper, Berwick.
Norman Mausteller, farmer, Fishingcreek.
Thomas Quigley, laborer, Centralia.
Philip A. Straub, farmer, Hemlock.
Clark Bower, foreman, Berwick.
William A. Burrows, laborer, Bloom.

TRAVERSE JURORS—1ST WEEK.

Eugene Doty, Berwick.
Lloyd Fry, Montour.
Cyrus Hartline, Madison.
Marvin Conner, Benton Borough.
Edward C. Kahler, Bloom.
Elmer Reese, Montour.
John Ross, Madison.
C. C. Fowler, Berwick.
Elisha Dreisbach, Bloom.
F. P. Fisher, Cleveland.
Daniel Kistler, Catawissa Boro.
B. B. Freas, Bloom.
Rush Freas, Briarcreek.
David Brooks, Bloom.
Obediah Yocum, Cleveland.
H. B. Creasy, Catawissa twp.
Pugh V. Glosen, Orange twp.
A. W. Dresher, Benton twp.
James Miller, Scott.
H. R. Dietterick, Orange.
D. C. Yeager, Locust.
Bowman Mordan, Madison.
D. H Hullenstine, Mifflin.
Warren Hess, Stillwater.
Harry W Deily, Montour.
William Parks, Franklin.
L. B. Stiles, Benton borough.
Clinton Helwig, Catawissa twp.
C. F. Sweppenheiser, Main.
C. M Sweppenheiser, Center.
Charles E. Hutton, Berwick.
Eli Ikeler, Mt. Pleasant.
L Rabb, Bloom
U. A. Smith, Main.
A. C. Hidlay, Bloom.
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George Thomas, Montour.
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William C. Eves, Millville.
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D. F. Bogart, Mifflin.
C. M. Kneddy, Sugarloaf.
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Francis W. Bower, Berwick.
John W. Grey, Bloom.
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James Kostenbauder, Conyngham.
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1907

Mrs. Carey Charged With 4 Murders.

Testimony Given at Hearing as to the Arsenic Found in the Stomachs of the Cooks and She is Recommitted.

Mrs. Bridget Carey, formerly of Centralia, now of Philadelphia, now stands accused of four murders, instead of two.

She was formerly arraigned in the Central Police Court before Magistrate Kockersperger Monday, and, as a result of post-mortem examinations held upon the bodies of Patrick and Cecilia Cook, who boarded with her last year at her home, 1842 Hamilton Street, she was accused of having caused their death by poisoning. Well defined traces of arsenic—more than enough to have caused death— were found in both bodies. The magistrate bound Mrs. Carey over without bail to await the Coroner's action.

It will probably be four or five weeks before the inquest is held. Drs. Marshall and Wadsworth, who are examining the bodies of the Cooks, still have a lot of work ahead of them, as the bodies are in an advanced state of dissolution and have to be examined part by part. The physicians are said to be satisfied now that death could have been caused by the quantity of arsenic which their investigations show to have been administered to the Cooks; but they will have to collect all the poison and weigh and measure it before the inquest is held.

Readiness of the Clubman.

"Some men," said John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in an address in New York, "use the law to do harm with, instead of to do good. They resemble a member of one of our well known clubs.

"This man sat in the club dining room at luncheon when a bill collector, having somehow eluded the attendants in the hall, walked up to him and laid on the table his overdue account.

"The clubman glared at the account, his fork suspended in the air. Then, solemnly and indignantly, he handed the paper back to the collector.

"'How dare you,' he said, 'infringe upon the rules of my club in this manner? Don't you know a man's club is like his home? Don't you know that I can have you forcibly ejected for coming in here without a card of membership or an introduction? The rules of this club require that, if you have business with a member, you wait in the hall while an attendant brings in your name. Now, I demand that you go out into the hall immediately, taking this bill with you, and that you send in your card to me in the proper way.'

"The collector, red in the face but hopeful on the whole, complied. He retired to the hall and sent in his card with all formality.

"The clubman, eating steadily, received the card on a silver salver. He studied it gravely. Then he said to the waiter:

"'Not in.'"

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

When frying chicken add a cup of hot water after the chicken is thoroughly brown on all sides. Let the water boil down until the pan is almost dry again. This makes the chicken very tender.

A writer on cookery for invalids very wisely remarks that too great emphasis cannot be laid on the necessity of making the invalid's tray attractive and of serving food very hot. Neglect in these two particulars is often the reason for a lack of appetite.

A weak solution of soda will revive the color in a dusty carpet. Keep flowers fresh by putting a pinch of soda to the water when boiling out enameled saucepans and it will help cleanse them. A spoonful of soda added to water in which dishcloths are washed will keep them a good color and sweeten them. One large teaspoonful of sal soda will bleach a kettleful of clothes. Hair brushes need a weekly cleansing; for this purpose add one tablespoonful of soda to a quart of hot water, dip the bristles—not the back—into this and shake well, until perfectly clean; rinse and stand stand on edge to dry.

Our Trade in South America.

Why doesn't the United States get more South American trade? The head of the leading department store in Rio de Janeiro says that it was only after several years of effort that his store succeeded in getting an American shoe manufacturer to make shoes in the way the Brazilians wanted them. Now the store is selling hundreds of thousands of pairs of these shoes. It formerly sold only English shoes.

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Strawberry Short Cake.

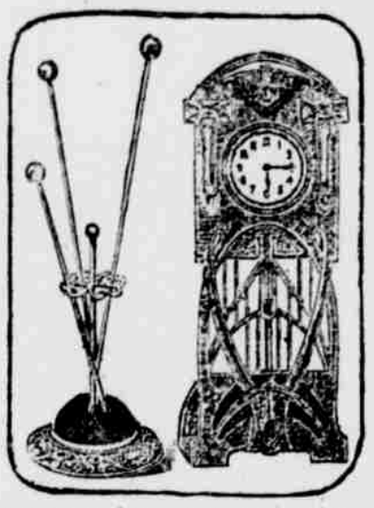
Steam two quarts of hulled berries. Sweeten them to taste and mash slightly with a wooden spoon. To make the cake, rub into a quart of flour two ounces of butter, a teaspoonful of salt and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Then add sufficient milk to make a soft dough. Mix quickly, roll out about one and a half inches in thickness, put in a greased large square baking tin, and bake in a very quick oven for over twenty minutes.

Split in half when taken from the oven and spread each half with butter. Place the lower half on a large meat plate; put half the berries on this, then the other half of the short cake and put the remainder of the berries on top. Whipped cream may either be poured over the whole cake or served with it in a separate dish.

This cake will serve eight persons.

LATEST HAT PIN STAND AND ART NOUVEAU CLOCK

Of the many varieties of hat pin stands now on the market, the silver mounted replica of the umbrella stand, pictured below, commands most attention this season. It is serviceable



compact and an ornamental addition to the dressing table collection of requisites.

The odd little clock displayed with the stand is a pretty example of the new art timepiece for which there is considerable demand just now, as the result of the fancy for new art jewelry.

Children and Tobacco.

Never expose young children to the action of tobacco, for it exercises a baneful effect on them. In the homes of the poor, where whole families live and sometimes sleep in one or two rooms, tobacco is often the cause of children suffering considerably from headache, nausea and even sickness.

In fact, they suffer from it as they would do from opium, by which they are far more easily affected than are their elders. The younger the child the more susceptible it is, and, therefore, a baby should never be allowed to stay in a room where anyone is smoking—a point which tobacco-loving fathers should remember.

Parents should not allow their boys to smoke until they have stopped growing.

The practice is most dangerous, hindering the development of both mind and body. In fact, so grave is the mischief of early smoking that in some places it is a punishable offense for any person under sixteen years of age to smoke.

It would be well for every small boy to know that there was a rod in pickle for him each time that his desire to be manly made him indulge in a smoke.

Must Use The Knife

Said the Surgeon, but Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was taken and the Knife Avoided.

The Union and Advertiser of Rochester, N. Y., recently published the following interesting account of how William W. Adams of 127 South Avenue, that city, was saved from a painful operation by the use of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.

Mr. Adams said: "Three years ago I was taken with kidney disease very badly; at times I was completely prostrated; in fact, was so bad that the day was set for the doctors to perform an operation upon me. But I decided I would not submit. I had been put in hot water baths, and, in fact, nearly every means was tried to help me. Upon the day set for the operation I commenced the use of

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NEGROES TO DIG THE CANAL

Oliver Will Take 5000 from the Southern States to Panama.

WORK TO BEGIN SOON

Negroes will be Bossed by White Men from the South who Understand them—Contractor not Debarred from Employing Chinese Labor if he Sees Fit.

Washington, Jan. 17.—William J. Oliver and Anson M. Bangs, the contractors who will probably build the Panama Canal, are waiting for the Isthmian Canal Commission to take action on the proposition they presented to construct the canal for 6.75 per cent. of the total cost. There seems to be no doubt that the canal commission will within a few days make the award. The proposal of the Oliver-Bangs combination is now being carefully scrutinized by T. P. Shonts, chairman of the commission, and Richard R. Rodgers, general counsel. When a conslusion is reached and the contract formally executed Mr. Oliver and Mr. Bangs will set in motion the great machine with which they will build the canal. Mr. Oliver will go to the Isthmus at once and there personally superintend this work, the largest and most important ever given a contractor. The contractors will take over the whole plant owned by the Government in Panama and will at once begin shipping additional materials to the Isthmus. They must, in accordance with the terms of the contract, begin actual work within sixty days from the execution of the contract.

Southern ngeroes will be used extensively for labor by Mr. Oliver. The conditions in Panama are somewhat similar to those in some of the Southern States, where Mr. Oliver has done much work, and he is doubtless more familiar with the methods of handling negro labor than any other contractor in the United States. As practically the whole working force in Panama is black—that is, the force actually behind the picks and shovels—Mr. Oliver is perhaps better equipped than many other contractors would be.

Admittedly one of the greatest problems in Panama is the labor question. Down on the Isthmus the fact that the white foremen now employed by the commission are unable to get the proper amont of work out of the West Indian blacks, of whom there are thousands, is not concealed. Mr. Oliver will take with him a great force of white steam shovel men, superintendents, foremen, sub-bosses and the like. These will come from the employees of the Oliver interests in the United States. They, like Mr. Oliver, will come from the South, where they have been working with negro labor, and it is declared that they will not find trouble in pushing the black man forward at a rapid pace in making the dirt fly.

Mr. Oliver will take 5,000 negroes to Panama with him and maybe more will be taken out of the South. He has not reached a decision about the use of Chinese laborers. There are now two responsible bids before the Isthmian Canal Commission for furnishing 5,000 Chinese laborers, but no action has been taken on them. If Mr. Oliver so desires he could doubtless take over these bids and make a contract with the bidders. There is no political reason to keep Mr. Oliver from using Chinese labor. He is not restricted in any way, and, entirely within the law and his rights, he may import all the Chinese laborers he may care to have.

WILL COST CHINA $80,000.

For Killing Five American Missionaries and Destroying the Mission.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—The riots at Lien-chow, China, in October, 1905, which resulted in the destruction of a mission and the death of five Americans missionaries, will cost the Government of China about $80,000. One-half of this has already been paid for the loss of property and a like amount will go to the families of the dead missionaries. The outbreak was the result of interference by the missionaries with a celebration. The natives were about to fire a cannon near the mission hospital.

To Check Cocaine Habit.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 17.—Assemblyman A. E. Smith has introduced a bill to check the cocaine habit. It makes it a felony to sell without the prescription of a physician or veterinarian opium, cocaine, actanillid or any of their derivative, or preparations containing any of these drugs. A violation of the law is punishable by a sentence of not more than one year in prison or a fine of not more than $1,000 or both.

Skunks More Useful Than Bees.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 17.—Skunks are of more value to the State than bees, according to figures just published. The annaul yield from skunk oil nets $150,000. which is more than the honey product.

CREMATED IN MOLTEN METAL.

Twenty-four Men Lose Their Lives in Gas Explosion.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 13.—One of the worst explosions in the history of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Works occurred in the Eliza Furnaces, when a large quantity of gas which had accumulated at the base of the furnace became ignited and exploded, bursting the base of the large furnace and showering tons of molten metal over about forty men. The bodies of twelve men were recovered from fifteen to twenty men are missing, it being generally believed that their bodies were consumed by the hot metal, and ten men are in hospitals terribly burned. One foreigner became crazed by his injuries, and before he could be prevented leaped into a pot of molten metal and was incinerated.

PASSED MOB IN A SACK.

Mexican Mill Owner's Thrilling Escape on a Servant's Back.

Mexico City, Jan. 13.—News from Orizaba reports that the fatalities caused by the action of strikers at the Rio Blanco and Santa Rosa mills were not fewer than thirty.

A remarkable feature of the riot was the escape of M. Garcin, the owner of the mills, who was carried concealed in a sack on the back of a faithful servant through the howling mob of men who were seeking him with the avowed intention of having his life. The servant was recognized and hailed by a group of strikers, who asked what he carried. He answered that it was a bag of beans, and thus Garcin passed through the mob and was later taken to the barracks of soldiers, where he has since remained.

DIED OF OLD AGE AT ELEVEN.

Boy Was Gray at Six and Then His Eyesight Began to Fail.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 17.—James Anderson, who died at the City Hospital, at the age of the eleven years and two months, was, in the opinion of physicians, at least sixty years of age at the time of his death, so far as the condition of the vital organs determine the age of a man.

When the child was six years old his hair began to turn gray, his eyesight began to fail, and he walked with the deliberate care of a person well advanced in years. As a very young child he was exceptionally bright, but his mental faculties gradually had been failing for the last two years.

Twenty Children Burn to Death.

Stasssing, Germany, Jan. 17.—Sixteen girls and four boys, from fifteen to eighteen years old, were burned to death in the village of Geispolsheim, near here, in a fire at Hubert's Company's factory.

A basket of celluloid scraps caught fire from a spark and exploded in a room where forty persons were working. The flames spread quickly, cutting off the exits. Twenty of the employes were driven by the fire to the end of a room and perished there.

Debarred for Ninety Days.

Salem, Ore.—Jan. 15. The Supreme Court of Oregon suspended former Judge H. Tanner from practice of the law for ninety days for unprofessional conduct in swearing falselyto his relations with the late United States Senator John H. Mitchell, who was his law partner. Certain mitigating circumstances were taken into consideration by the Supreme Court in reaching the decision

House Where McKinley Died Burns.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 17.—The Milburn house, No. 1816 Delaware avenue, where President McKinley died, was partly destroyed by fire, the inmates being obliged to flee in their night robes. The loss is estimated at $20,000, fully insured. The building was owned by Philip Mark Smith, an oil operator of Pennsylvania.

Churches Bar Mrs. Gillette.

Utica, N. Y. Jan. 15—Mrs. L. M. Gillette, mother of Chester Gillette, the convicted murderer of Grace Brown,. now awaiting the death chair at Auburn prison, said that she will be unable to deliver her lecture entitled "Guilty or not Guilty, a Mother's Plea for her Son," because she is unable to secure a hall and the churches have barred her.

Typhoid in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Pa., an. 17.—Political obstacles in the way of providing filtered water for the entire city have led to an outbreak of typhoid fever that already is close to the epidemic stage. In twenty-four hours seventy new typhoid cases were reported to the Board of Health, while the total for the week is 342.

Bernhardt's Injury Serious.

London, Jan. 17.—The Great tin spatch says that Sarah Bernhardt is suffering rom a tumor, the result of a fall. The tumor defies medical treatment and may result fatally if the actress does not take a long rest from the stage. This Mme. Bernhardt refuses to do.

Matador Fatally Gored.

Mexico City, Jan. 15.—Antonio Montes, one of the foremost matadors of Spain, was fatally gored by he cannot survive.

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